

NINE "SAND HOGS"
COOKED TO DEATH
ON RIVER'S BED

Caisson Workers at Memphis Killed by Explosion of Natural Gas

LAMPS SET OFF GAS POCKET

Helmeted Rescuers Brave Flames to Bring Up Bodies of the Victims

WERE TRAPPED IN THE FIERY PIT

Scarcely Begun Burrowing in Mississippi's Bottom when the Explosion Comes

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 6.—Trapped in a fiery pit of blazing natural gas, nine caisson workers were literally cooked to death today when their lamps touched off a pocket of gas in a caisson in which they were laying the foundation for the new Hiram Mississippi river bridge. Two bodies had been recovered shortly after noon today and a force of helmeted rescuers were attempting to bring up the others.

The laborers, known as "sand hogs" were lowered into the caisson to begin work early today. They had scarcely begun burrowing into the river bottom when there was a terrific explosion. Flames and natural gas filled the caisson, choking and cooking the laborers. The flames were still burning this afternoon, making the work of rescue doubly difficult.

Prospecting for natural gas and oil on the islands and bars adjacent has been carried on for several years. Engineers said the deposit that exploded was natural gas and not marsh gas. It may seriously interfere with the building of the bridge.

PRESBYTERY WILL MEET NEXT WEEK

Annual Spring Meeting to Be Held Tuesday and Wednesday, April 14 and 15

One week from tomorrow the annual spring meeting of the Presbytery of La Crosse will be held in the First Presbyterian church, Sixth and King streets. The meeting on the King streets. The meeting of the Presbytery will be under the direction of Rev. Finch A. Clarke, moderator.

In connection with the Presbytery meeting, the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary society will be held. The woman will meet Wednesday afternoon.

The first session of the Presbytery will be held Tuesday evening at 7:45. It will be devoted to election of officers and organization work. The active business of the meeting will take place the following day.

Among the affairs which will occupy the attention of the Presbytery will be the reception of Lester E. Danuser as a candidate for the ministry.

Wednesday evening Miss Lydia A. Hays, New York, representing the Woman's Presbyterian board of home missions of the United States, will address a public meeting.

KURRYER WINS LIBEL SUIT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 6.—The Kuryer Polski, a Polish paper here, was today freed from a charge of libel when a jury decided that Ignatz Czerwinski was not entitled to the \$100,000 for which he sued. The complainant alleged that the paper published articles charging him with assisting the treasurer of the Roman Catholic Polish union in leaving for Europe after the treasurer was alleged to have misapplied some of the union's funds.

HOME RULE PEACE NEAR

LONDON, April 6.—The final home rule debate on the second reading of the home rule in the house of commons was marked today by further suggestions of conciliation and the increasing belief that a settlement by consent might yet be reached. "There is no length to which the nationalists will not go to remove the prejudices of Ulster," declared John Redmond, leader of the nationalists, in expressing the hope that a compromise might be reached.

WILSON'S RECORD ISSUE

PATERSON, N. J., April 6.—With Representative Ollie James in the Seventh district today in the interest of J. O'Byrne, democratic candidate for congress, as a successor to the late "Smiling Bob" Bremner, President Wilson's record was formally made the issue in tomorrow's balloting.

REST ROOM FOR THE FARMERS' WIVES HAS NURSE FOR CHILDREN

The first concrete fruits of the recent community banquet were realized Saturday when a new \$1,200 rest room was opened in the Doerflinger Park Store for the wives of the farmers.

Sofas, beds, cradles and even a nurse to care for the children while the mothers are shopping about the city have been installed in the rest room. Mirrors are hung at convenient places about the room, writing desks and tables have been provided and toilet rooms and telephone booths installed.

The former rest room of the store has been converted into a check room and arrangements have been made whereby out of town customers may have their purchases delivered to them at the train by leaving them at the check room.

MANY LA CROSSE PEOPLE WILL GO TO TRAIN HEARING

About Twenty-five Members of U. C. T. Will Attend Caledonia Hearing

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS SEND MEN

Board of Trade and Manufacturers' and Jobbers' Club Send Representations

WILL FIGHT TO RETAIN SERVICE

Is Result of Petition by the Milwaukee Road to Abandon Passenger Train

The Minnesota railway commission will arrive here tonight and will proceed to Caledonia with La Crosse delegations tomorrow morning to take up the question of retaining the additional passenger service on the Preston-Reno branch of the C. M. & St. P.

John Elliott of the United Commercial Travelers, today announced that the U. C. T. will probably be represented by twenty-five members at the hearing. Three commercial travelers, M. J. Ellingson, Charles Weigel and E. Forss have been requested by the Minnesota commission to be present and give testimony regarding conditions and the necessity of two daily passenger trains on the branch.

The La Crosse board of trade, Manufacturers and Jobbers' club and the retail merchants will also send delegations to attend the hearing. President D. W. MacWille and Secretary C. S. Van Auker of the manufacturers and jobbers have been appointed as active representatives and will probably speak before the commission urging the continuation of the service.

Houston county will be represented by O. K. Dahle of Caledonia and Florence county by former Senator E. E. Thompson of Preston, Minn. The hearing before the commission is the result of a petition on the part of the C. M. & St. P. railroad to discontinue the train which had been originally ordered by the commission.

ESCH IS FOR AN EXTRA SESSION

Local Congressman Signs a Petition and Forwards It Direct to McGovern; Brofne for Call

MADISON, Wis., April 6.—Congressman John J. Esch of LaCrosse and E. S. Browne of Waupaca, are in favor of a special session of the legislature, according to letters received by Attorney General Owen today.

"I wrote Governor McGovern asking him to call a special session of the legislature," writes Congressman Browne. "I believe that the plan suggested out to be carried out," declares Congressman Esch, "and I have signed the petition sent me and forwarded it to the governor direct." The plan of the special session is also endorsed by former Assemblyman F. J. Bohri of Fountain City; Assemblyman George W. Bingham of the republican committee of Columbia county; Assemblyman John Peulu of Superior. The plan is opposed by Assemblyman Don C. Hall of Stevens Point.

NOBLE BILL RAISER GUILTY.

CHICAGO, April 6.—John Von Pasto, who reported himself to be a seion of a noble German family, was sentenced to serve seven and a half years in the Fort Leavenworth federal prison by Judge Landis today, following his conviction on the charge of raising bills.

SAYS ROADS NEVER HAD FREE SERVICE

Cost of "Spotting Cars" Always Made Up by the Freight Tariffs Says C. W. Dickinson

HE DIFFERS WITH MR. BRANDEIS

Sends Brief Protesting Against Interstate Commerce Commission Attorney's Proposal

Declaring that the railroads of the country have always made their freight rates high enough to include the cost of service on industrial lines, C. W. Dickinson of the La Crosse Plow company today made public a brief he recently sent to the interstate commerce commission, protesting against Louis D. Brandeis' proposal that the railroads charge for service now given gratis to shippers. Mr. Brandeis, attorney for the commission, has declared that if the railroads charged for this service, which he branded a system of veiled rebates, they would not require the five per cent raise in freight rates which they are demanding.

Mr. Dickinson's brief is one of several filed by traffic experts in the employ of members of the Wisconsin Manufacturers' association. The local manufacturers and jobbers' club appointed a committee recently to protest against the proposed raise in rates.

Mr. Dickinson's argument in his brief is that the cost of "spotting" cars at factory loading platforms has always been taken care of by sufficiently high freight rates. He also takes a stand opposed to granting the railroads the five per cent increase demanded.

Mr. Dickinson's brief follows: Mr. B. H. Meyer, Esq., Interstate Commerce Commissioner, Washington, C. C.

Dear sir: Our attention has been called to a hearing before your commission, March 24th concerning a proposed charge by the railroad companies for switching and placing cars for loading on private or industrial tracks, etc., in addition to the rate quoted by the railroad companies for transmission of freight between two towns.

We protest most vigorously against the granting of any privilege of this kind to the railroad companies.

The writer has been familiar with railroad rates and shipping for close to one-third of a century, a part of the time directly managing shipments at a securing rates from common carriers. Of my own knowledge, I know that during the entire period of my familiarity and contact with the shipping business, the rates for transportation made by the railroad companies have included the service of placing at private or industrial tracks for which it is now proposed to make an additional charge. There is very little carload business in the country where the cars are not placed upon an industrial or private track for loading. The service with which I am familiar comprises carload shipments from many places to points practically all over the west and many eastern points. Invariably in my experience, the freight rate quoted by the railroad companies has included this service and I do not remember of any time or any place where a separate charge in addition to the rate made has been made for placing cars at private or industrial tracks.

Inasmuch as the service of placing the cars for the shippers on their own or the railroad companies' industrial tracks has been paid for in the rate just as much as the service of hauling the cars between the points of origin and the point of destination, it is manifest that to make an extra charge for the switching service would be really to increase the freight rate to the shipper—the very thing that the commission, as I understand, and the entire shipping public is opposed to. It would amount to whipping the devil around the stump. So far as I know there has never been any hint on the part of the common carrier that their rate did not and was not intended to cover the entire service in handling the cars for the shipper at the point of origin and of destination as well as the intermediate haul.

On the Northwestern road our loading track is parallel to and as near to their yard side tracks as (Continued on Page Six)

CONSIDERED SURE SOUTHERN CROSS SANK WITH CREW

Searching Steamer Is Unable to Find Any Trace of the Lost Sealing Vessel

HAD 190 MEN IN COMPLEMENT

Believe Vessel Was Dashed Upon Rocks in the Vicinity of Cape Race

WENT RAVING MAD IN FLOES

Survivors Tell Horrifying Stories of Castaways from the New foundland

ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 6.—Although the steamship Kyle searched throughout Saturday and Sunday for some trace of the missing sealer Southern Cross, no sign of her had been found today and it is now believed certain the vessel foundered with her crew of 170 men. The belief is growing here that the Southern Cross may have rounded Cape Race before the storm of last week reached its height and was dashed upon rocks in that vicinity. A search of that part of the coast has been ordered.

Insane from Cold Additional details of the terrible suffering of the crew of the Newfoundland, 77 of whom perished, were learned here today from some of the 37 survivors. Some of the men, raving mad, gnawed their frozen hands and chewed their clothing in their hunger. Driven insane by the intense pain of the piercing frost, one man cut off his frozen fingers with his sheath knife and expired as the blood ran from his mutilated hand.

Seven men who had been given up for dead were found alive some hours after the first of the party had been rescued.

Seal's Blood Saves On Wednesday night they came upon a young seal, and killing it, ate the raw flesh and drank the blood. This saved their lives.

Seventy-five per cent of the survivors brought here were blind when rescued and many who perished might have withstood the ordeal, it is declared, had they not stumbled into the open water and drowned after becoming blind on the ice floes.

Thousands thronged St. John's yesterday when the bodies of the Newfoundland's dead were sent to their homes. Fifty-two bodies were taken through the streets in hearse to the railroad station and there sent to various points for interment.

CALLER WAS HER HUSBAND'S FRIEND

Mrs. Nesham Explains Incident Misinterpretation of Which Caused All the Trouble

Grieving because his misinterpretation of an "offensive incident" led to her husband's estrangement, Mrs. Charles Nesham is rapidly recovering from a self-administered dose of carbolic acid. That Nesham has not visited her at St. Francis hospital is a thing to which the pretty young wife cannot reconcile herself.

"The thing that caused the trouble was a mere act of courtesy to a friend of Mr. Nesham," said Mrs. Nesham. "I had called Mr. Nesham up at the car barns and urged him to hurry home, as I was nervous and had a dread of burglars. He told me he was going to run up to the north side to see his mother, but would come home from there immediately."

"Later in the evening a friend of Mr. Nesham called for him on the telephone. He had been out of the city, and wanted to see him. I told him Mr. Nesham was out, but would be home shortly, and invited him to come to the house. I thought Mr. Nesham would arrive before the friend could get there. However, the visitor was first to arrive.

"Mr. Nesham arrived a few moments later. I had locked the front door, as usual, because he always enters by the back door, which was left open as was our custom. He said nothing while his friend remained, but after the man had left he became angry. He left, saying he would not be back."

SHOT HOLES IN PILLOW.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Albert R. Morrison, 29, assistant manager of the Lake Carriers' association, committed suicide by asphyxiating himself today. Morrison's body was found in a sleeping-room adjoining his office. Two gas jets were open. Four bullet holes in his pillow indicated that he had attempted to shoot himself, but had missed.

STEALS TO KEEP OFF WOLF—FAMILY SAVES MAN FROM THE PEN

A home, wife and children, today saved a La Crosse man—who had been confronted with the problem of stealing or starving from the penitentiary.

A laboring man was arrested for robbing a Waukon, Iowa, farmer.

He insisted that he was innocent but when confronted with irrefutable evidence by Chief J. B. Webber broke down and confessed. In defense of his false claims of innocence he pleaded a home, wife and children.

"My family is dependent upon me for support. I couldn't get work and so I did rob him," he told the chief. "It was a question of stealing or starving. I have a wife and two children. One of the latter is a nineteen day old baby. If you send me to the penitentiary what is going to become of them?"

"I don't believe the law demands that your family suffer for your conduct. Go home to your wife and babies," said the chief.

THEODORE RITTER NEW STAMP CLERK

Deputy City Clerk Chosen for Berth with the Internal Revenue Department

SUCCEEDS MISS CLARA SMITH

Present Incumbent Held Office Many Years and Has Served Three Collectors

Miss Clara Smith, for several years stamp clerk in the local office of the internal revenue department, is to be succeeded by Theodore Ritter, at present deputy city clerk.

While official announcement has not been made by Herbert Manson, collector for the western district of Wisconsin, the arrangements for the change have all been made and Mr. Ritter has accepted the position.

Miss Smith succeeded her father, the late Charles Smith, as stamp clerk and went into office during Manahan's term as internal revenue collector in this district. She also held the place through Mr. Bentley's term and up to now under Manson.

The position pays seventy-five dollars per month.

VALIANT HERO OF OIL CAN IS FREE

Three-Gallon Tin Is Legal Weapon Upon Occasion Rules Judge Brindley

Beating a man over the head with a three gallon oil can is not unnecessary violence and is justifiable under certain circumstances even if the oil can assailant is the larger man. This was the decision of Judge John Brindley in county court this morning when Clark Johnson was arrested for striking E. M. Mercereau with an oil can.

According to the evidence of several witnesses, Clark Johnson, a six footer, referred to the Mercereau family in an uncomplimentary manner and then took to his heels for home and safety with Mercereau after him.

Johnson's father, Frank Johnson, ordered Mercereau out of his yard. A fight ensued during which the elder John received a discolored eye and was pinned to the ground beneath Mercereau. At the command of his mother, Clark reappeared from the house and started to pound Mercereau over the head with the oil can.

Mercereau jumped to his feet and wrestled the can from Clark Johnson and the latter made another sprint for the house, unheeding his mother's shout of "Here, hit him with the broom, Clark!"

When the smoke cleared away Mercereau was suffering from a badly injured head and Frank Johnson's eyes were highly discolored. Clark alone remained with his features undamaged. Judge Brindley today decided that Clark was not too aggressive and discharged him.

BURGARS FORCE PRAYER

CHICAGO, April 6.—Stanley Jones, bartender in the saloon of John Lyons, went down on his knees and elevated his hands in prayer before the bar today, while two robbers pointed revolvers at him and commanded him to "pray a little louder." They fled with \$75.

PRAISES WOMEN POLICE.

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—Women police are necessary in large cities for the protection of women and girls, according to Mary L. Bartelme, of Chicago's juvenile court, the first woman judge in the United States, who spoke before the Civic club here today.

BRYAN HAS GRIPPE

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Secretary of State Bryan was still confined to his home today with the gripe.

ANTHONY MURPHY NEAR DEATH IN A RUNAWAY TODAY

Health Officer Caught in Wheels when Frightened Horse Overturns Buggy Near Noon

LEFT ARM IS BADLY SPLINTERED

Bone Smashed to Pieces When He Puts It Around Head to Protect Self from Hoofs

HE HAS WIFE NOW IN HOSPITAL

Rushed to St. Francis Where Bone Is Wired Together; Mrs. Murphy Recovering from Operation

Anthony Murphy, health officer, narrowly escaped death at 11:10 o'clock this morning, when his horse became frightened at a passing auto at Ninth and Division streets, kicked the buggy to splinters, overturned it upon the health officer and continued to pound his hoofs into Murphy's body, before it tore loose from the wreckage and started a wild flight through the streets.

Mr. Murphy is the bone of his left arm splintered and suffering from numerous other painful injuries.

According to the story told by Mr. Murphy the horse shied at an auto. The holdback strap broke, it is believed, permitting the buggy to run onto the animal. The horse started kicking, rearing and charging, pounding the rig into splinters and overturning it. Mr. Murphy was caught in the wheels and could not extricate himself.

He was in a position where every vicious kick of the horse would land on his head and to save himself he put his left arm around his head. To this he owes his life, the arm being splintered so badly that it was necessary for physicians to wire the bones together. That he escaped with his life is miraculous.

Mr. Murphy was rushed to St. Francis hospital.

The horse was caught in an alley.

G. N. PLANS CITY RIVAL OF FRISCO

Hill Railroad to Found a Great Pacific Port at Tillamook Harbor, Oregon

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 6.—That a harbor on the Pacific coast at Tillamook, Oregon, as a rival to San Francisco, will be built along plans formulated by John F. Stevens, former president of the Great Northern railroad, was announced here today by the Hill interests.

The purpose of the port at Tillamook, which was fathered by J. J. Hill, is to outdo by sea and rail the fastest time for existing service along the coast and between the coast and interior. The plans call for the expenditure of many millions of dollars.

Two large ships to run between the northern and southern points on the acific coast are being built at Philadelphia and it is stated the government will spend \$2,000,000 dredging Tillamook harbor. A railroad known as the United States railway is being built between Portland and Tillamook and is now nearing completion.

SALOONS TO CLSE ON ELECTION DAY

It was announced at the city hall this morning that all La Crosse saloons must close to-morrow from 6 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening. A state law provides they shall not open during the time the polls are open.

FORBIDS LIQUOR ON BOARD SHIPS OF THIS COUNTRY

Secretary of the Navy Daniels Issues Stringent Order to the Service

COURT MARTIAL FOR VIOLATION

Officer Who Brings Intoxicant Aboard Vessel Is Liable to Dismissal

CONCEDED THE ORDER WILL STAND

No Administration Would Brave Storm of Protest by Revoking Rule

WASHINGTON, April 6.—July 1 has been fixed by Secretary of the Navy Daniels as the date when the wine mess on all warships must be abolished.

A liberal construction of the Daniels' order means that not alone is the mess abolished, but that any officer, outside of the surgeon and his assistant, who introduces, even for medicinal purposes, a bottle of any intoxicant aboard a warship, faces court martial and dismissal from the service.

The order is unpopular. Officers assert that it was issued under a misapprehension. They point out that only beer and the lightest of wines have been sold in the mess. They place responsibility for the order on Captain Richmond P. Hobson, who has recently been demanding that the army and navy be officially made dry.

It is accepted that the order will stand for all time. No subsequent administration, it is believed, would dare to revoke it in view of the certain storm of protest that would rise from the temperance organizations throughout the United States.

Because of the naval regulations, no officer can even protest for publication against the order. To do so would mean court martial as it would tary's critics today was Representative Bartholdi of Missouri.

"This is an unusually harsh measure," he said. "It violates personal liberty. The men of the navy are American citizens and should have their rights respected."

The anti-saloon forces received the order with much joy. Jesse C. Suttor, secretary of the league, said: "The order will have a great influence in the furtherance of the cause of temperance."

"DRY" LECTURER DISAPPEARS

DANVILLE, Ill., April 6.—Twenty-four hours before the Danville polls opened before the most bitterly fought local option fight in eastern Illinois, half a dozen private detectives today joined the forces of the sheriff and the city police in the search for Louis R. Palmont, a "dry" lecturer of Milwaukee, Wis., who disappeared last Tuesday night, half an hour before he was scheduled to make an anti-saloon lecture. Today a pond into which it was believed his body might have been thrown, was dragged and abandoned mines were searched without avail.

WEATHER

Temperature ranges yesterday: High, 46. Low, 32. Precipitation, .42. Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Colder tonight with probably snow flurries; Tuesday generally fair.

For Wisconsin: Generally fair in north, unsettled weather tonight and Tuesday south portion, probably snow flurries; colder tonight; brisk to strong northerly breezes.

For Minnesota: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight; south and west portions; fresh northerly breezes.

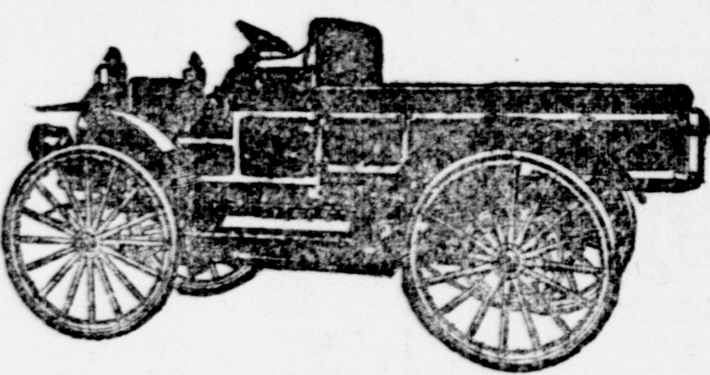
For Iowa: Unsettled weather tonight and Tuesday; probably rain turning to snow; colder; brisk to strong northerly breezes.

Weather Conditions A storm central in northwestern Texas extends northeastward to the upper lake region and the weather is cloudy throughout this section, with rain or snow at several stations. The pressure is high over the Atlantic states and the weather generally clear and cool. Another high is central in the Canadian northwest.

These pressure conditions will cause unsettled and colder weather in this section tonight with probably snow flurries; Tuesday will be generally fair and moderately cool.

River		Stage Change.	
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Red Wing	3.7	-0.1
Reeds	3.8	-0.1
La Crosse	4.0	0.0

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LIBRARY RECEIVES
REFERENCE WORK

Five Volumes of Natural History Presented to Prairie du Chien Library by S. G. Jeglum

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., April 6.—The public library received a gift the past week from Mr. L. G. Jeglum of a set of the Universal Natural History. The set is in five large volumes, handsomely bound and profusely illustrated and is valuable as a reference work.

W. R. Graves transacted business in Lancaster the last of the week. B. Appleby of Gotham, Richland county, spent Friday and Saturday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Appleby.

Miss Beulah Peacock visited in Avaluing Saturday at the home of Miss Lillian Heaton.

Mrs. C. B. Case will entertain the congregational Ladies' Industrial society Thursday afternoon.

The public schools closed Friday or a vacation lasting until Tuesday, April 14, the out of town teachers in going to their respective homes or the vacation.

Miss Gladys Sutherland of Madison, who became a member of the high school faculty after the Christmas vacation, taking classes in science and mathematics, has resigned because of ill health and will not return for the remainder of the year.

The Twentieth Century club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. G. Kieser. The program will be given by Mrs. A. H. Long and Mrs. P. L. Scanlan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Case were visitors in McGregor Saturday.

Miss Susan Appleby is spending vacation week in Lone Rock.

Miss Dorothy Baker left Saturday morning for Chicago, where she will visit Miss Virginia Clark for a week.

Miss Geneva Atkinson of La Crosse

RUSHFORD WOMAN
DIES IN DAKOTA

Remains Brought from Hot Springs and Interment Is Made in Rushford Cemetery

Mrs. George Hanson died at her home in Hot Springs, S. D., last week and the remains were brought to Rushford for burial. Mrs. Hanson was a daughter of Thomas Madland and was married to Mr. Hanson about 20 years ago, going from here to Hot Springs, where they have ever since resided. Her maiden name was Nora Madland. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and two children, also a brother Thomas of Galesville, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Rotnem have been recent Spring Grove visitors, going over to attend the marriage of their son Tollef to Miss Clara Newhouse of the latter place.

Mr. A. S. Kingsford, a former Rushford young man and now superintendent of the schools in Baraboo, Wis., has been the guest for a day of his father and brother in North Rushford.

Prof. Hamilton has gone to Minneapolis, accompanying the students who are taking up the short course in Agriculture at the University of Minnesota from Minneapolis. Mr. Hamilton will go on to Grand Rapids, Mich., to spend the Easter vacation.

Mr. H. L. Qvarnrod of Lanesboro, manager of the Farmers' and Merchants' Lumber yard of that place, has been a business visitor in our city recently.

Mrs. H. M. Smith has been a recent La Crosse visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilbourne, who have been in Caledonia for several months, are expected to return to their home in this city in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loure, who have been residents of this city for about two years, have moved to Wisconsin, where Mr. Loure will work in a flour mill. While here he was employed in Mr. D. J. Tew's flour mills.

The next meeting of the Rushford Commercial club will be held on Wednesday evening, April 8.

John Alm and family, who have been residents of South Ferry street for a good many years, have moved into the rooms owned by John Peterson on Main street.

Miss Hattie Neubauer of Dexter is a guest of Miss Mary Olson of this city.

Miss Hazel Whitehouse has recently been up from Houston to visit friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Martin Ristey and children, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Ristey of this city, have gone to Houston to visit relatives. Mr. Martin Ristey went on to Clearwater county on a business trip.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Gynther Overland of Bratsberg have been very ill at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. L. L. Streeter of this city. The disease, which seemed a combination of the old fashioned "pink eye" and the heavy cold accompanying it, seems to be very prevalent about Rushford just at present.

Thomas Madland and daughter have returned to their home at Galesville, Wis., after being here to attend the funeral services of Mr. Madland's sister, Mrs. George Hanson of Hot Springs, S. D.

Miss Ethel Strauss, who has for some months been employed at the Star-Republican office, has gone down to Houston for a visit with relatives there, before leaving for her home in Davenport, Iowa.

Miss Blanche Rowlee, who has been spending a short vacation with her parents in this city, has returned to her school duties in Red Wing.

Mrs. C. K. Osgard has been the guest for a short time of her relatives and friends in and around Spring Grove.

Miss Elvira Anderson of Whelan has been a caller in this city recently.

Eddie Colbenson has gone to North Dakota, where he will be employed.

Miss Effie Blanchfield, one of this year's graduates, has decided to take up nursing as a profession and to that end will go over to Rochester, at the Mayo hospital, after school closes here.

John Akre, the busy contractor, has been a recent business visitor in Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnenberg, who have lately moved into our city from their farm a few miles from here, are having the residence of Mr. Ronnenberg's mother remodeled, as they will reside with the old lady, whose age and health render the move necessary. The house is what used to be known as the McGregor property, in Brooklyn.

Although the new quarters of the Sheldahl Egg and Poultry business have been in use for some time, a word of description will not be out of place. The warehouse is up to date in all respects, spick and span in appearance, outside and in and is much more commodious than the old place of business. The upper story will hold six thousand egg cases, making it unnecessary to build cases so often as in the old place. The warehouse is built close to the sidewalk and cases can be placed in the car without the moving of a foot outside, thereby saving immensely on the drayage. The rooms are well lighted and pleasant and are kept in fine condition by the manager, Mr. Sheldahl.

The firm of Swenson & Woxland has been dissolved. Mr. Swenson selling out his interests to Mr. Sloan of this city.

BERNHARDT FAREWELLS AGAIN

PARIS, April 6.—Mme. Sara Bernhardt will open another "farewell" tour in New York in October. The noted actress will make a tour of Russia, England, the United States and Australia.

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BOSTON, Mass., April 6.—Knocking one watchman senseless and binding and gagging another, three burglars blew open the safe in the home of Timothy Smith, in the suburb of Roxbury, early today and escaped with several thousand dollars.

Requents Wine to Mourners
PARIS.—The mourners at the funeral of a Salernese merchant drank 150 pints of wine bequeathed for that purpose by the deceased.

It was morning in Grassville. An old citizen and a young one met and this conversation took place:
"How're you making out at the opera house?"
"We turned 'em away last night."

"G'wan."
"Fact. Sixteen of 'em. Manager said it was no use burnin' gas for a nine dollar house."—New York Globe.

The Liver as Aid
To Blood Purity

The Natural Stimulus Required is Not the Pur-gative Kind.



Most Pills Are Better if Thrown Away.

Important as it is to keep the bowels open, it should be remembered that such action does not necessarily mean that the liver has been stimulated. The action of S. S. S. is a natural liver tonic, but not a bowel mover. It works in the liver cells to assist in the natural and necessary function of converting from the blood certain constituents into what are known as assimilable products. These are readily absorbed into the body tissues to constantly provide new and healthy material for that which is being destroyed by the energy of tissue changes.

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Take no chance by permitting anyone to recommend a substitute. And if your blood condition is such that you would like to consult a specialist, address The Swift-Specific Company, 526 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

SALEM SCHOOLS
CLOSE FOR EASTER

Teachers Go to Homes for One Week's Rest from Their Teaching Duties

WEST SALEM, Wis., April 6.—The public schools closed on Friday for Easter vacation of one week. The out of town teachers will spend their vacation at their respective homes: Miss Rogers at Viroqua; Miss Hatz at Bangor; Miss Hawkins at Roberts, Minn.; Misses Leising and Holford at La Crosse; Mr. Leary at La Crosse.

Mrs. O. Larson of Bangor, Wis., attended the Novelty club at Mrs. Ed Bischels' on Friday.

Election tickets are being printed at the Badger Print shop for the village and several of the surrounding towns.

The Girls' Glee club held an informal program at the High school assembly room Thursday afternoon. Many attended and enjoyed the program.

Mrs. Frank Sheldon of Sparta, Wis., visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. W. Brown on Thursday and attended the show Peter Piper at the opera house that evening.

Mrs. Henry Kenrick entertained the card club of La Crosse including twelve ladies of which Mrs. Kenrick is a member, at her home at a one o'clock dinner on Tuesday. Mrs. E. Stevens assisted with the serving. The ladies returned to their homes the same evening after a pleasant time.

Mrs. Ed Bischel entertained the Novelty club at her home on Friday.

The Misses Tillie Munson and Beatrice Nelson of La Crosse, Wis., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Larson, the middle of the week.

Mr. Stubbs left for Duluth Friday evening to see his father, who is seriously ill.

Mr. F. H. A. Nye left on Friday morning for San Francisco, Cal., where he expects to make his future home with his son Mark and family.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. B. F. Oltman Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Those taking part in the program included the following ladies: Devotions, Miss Lizzie McDowd. Lesson development, Explorations, Mrs. Pearl Wakefield; sources and characters of immigration, Mrs. Effie McKinley; early religious settlements may study, Mrs. Minnie Coburn; German immigration, Mrs. Cornelia Dudley; music, Miss Oltman and Miss Tower. Roll call items, Leader, Miss Smead; serving committee, Mesdames Oltman, Coburn, Smith, Kuehn and Miss Mary McDowd.

The S. O. B. club met at the home of Miss Abbie Johnson on Saturday. Miss Johnson was assisted by the Misses Glad and Rachel McDowd.

Harold Arntson, who has been manager of the clothing department of the Farmers' store for the past year, has accepted a position as manager of a clothing store in Langdon, N. D. He leaves very soon for his new work.

There will be an Easter ball held at Roberts' hall on Monday evening, April 13. Mau's orchestra will furnish music.

HENRY CLAY BARNABEE

Master of Mirth in Music
America's Master of Mirth is the loving title given to Henry Clay Barnabee, known in America and Europe as one of the most active singers of opera roles of his time. He was the original Sheriff of Nottingham in "Robin Hood," and played Sir Joseph Porter in "Pinafore" the first time it was presented in America. He was for over sixty years known as the only man who could sing "The Cork Leg" and the ballad "O Loving Heart, Trust On," written for him by Gottschalk, the famous composer. Shortly after the Civil war Mr. Barnabee began playing with the Boston Museum company and later began his work as an entertainer, making a circuit of minor towns and cities, combining music and declamations. Mr. Barnabee was a leading spirit of the old Boston Ideal Opera company, which continued for many years as one of the most popular musical organizations ever known to American opera lovers. In his eightieth year he completed a remarkable book of reminiscences entitled "My Wanderings," which met with an enormous sale. In later life he retained his splendid quality of voice, still singing many of the songs which he made famous.

"O Loving Heart, Trust On" and others of the Barnabee Songs are to be found in that beautiful volume, "Heart Songs" now being distributed by this paper. Look elsewhere for the Coupon giving the terms to our readers.

SCOLDED—GIRL SUICIDES

CLEVELAND, April 6.—Because she was upbraided for associating with an admirer objected to by her relatives, Ethel Eddy, 13, is a suicide today. The little girl shot herself through the heart.

Fame.

"Who was James Boswell?" asked the teacher of the class in English literature.

"He was Dr. Samuel Johnson's press agent," answered the young man with the bad eye.—Chicago Tribune.

Get Busy.

If you are going to save up for a rainy day don't wait until the clouds begin to gather.—Detroit Journal.

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Daddy Telling About the Easter Party.

Daddy's Bedtime
Story— The Easter Party In the Barnyard.

DADDY was very, very tired. Somehow he seemed to feel more tired than he had for many days. But just the same, with all his weary bones, he was glad he had Jack and Evelyn to tell a story to before bedtime.

Well, he climbed the stairs slowly and very quietly—so quietly that Jack and Evelyn didn't hear him. And that was most unusual. Jack thought he heard a creak on the stairs and told Evelyn about it, but she had heard nothing, so Jack decided it must have been a mistake. And then daddy appeared.

"I was right," said Jack.

"And I was wrong," said Evelyn.

"Right and wrong, who's right, who's wrong?" asked daddy.

Evelyn laughed. "Now, daddy, you mustn't pretend you don't know, for you heard Jack saying he thought he heard something on the stairs, and that made you all the quieter. Now, didn't it, daddy? 'Fess up.'"

"Well, maybe it did," laughed daddy.

"You're late tonight, aren't you, daddy?" asked Jack.

"Yes," replied daddy. "I had a long day, and then there were a lot of other things to attend to."

Jack and Evelyn looked at each other very knowingly. They knew daddy had been getting little chocolate bunnies and chocolate hens with green ribbons around their necks and fuzzy little yellow play chickens whose heads came off. And then candy was inside!

"I don't suppose we could possibly guess where you went, daddy?"

"Oh, I am sure you couldn't!" said daddy.

Of course neither child guessed, as it would have spoiled all the fun.

"We're talking so much," said Jack; "how about the story?"

"Oh, yes, the story," said Evelyn.

"I am going to tell you tonight about an Easter party in the barnyard," said daddy. "All the little yellow chickens and the old mother hens and the duck family were the ones who started the party. The little fuzzy chickens and the ducks were most enthusiastic because they were so young they weren't used to parties, and they thought they were such fun. They even loved all the fuss of getting ready."

"But at last the mother hens and the mother ducks said that the party was ready, and then they began."

"First of all, they played games, but the best part of the party and the part that the little ducks and little chickens liked the very best of all was the supper, and they asked the mother hens and the mother ducks to give them another Easter party very soon, for they had never tasted such delicious party food before."

Museum of Daily
Facts and Freaks

Find Wife—Fined \$20

PARIS, April 6.—After traveling through Morocco and Indo-China in search of his missing wife, Gustave Cropin was fined \$20 in police court here for entering a house where he found her living with her lover.

Rockets Save 10,000 Lives

LONDON.—Ten thousand lives have been saved on the coasts of Great Britain by rocket apparatus since this system was adopted in 1870.

Million Dollars Destroyed by Fire

NEW YORK.—A million dollars was destroyed by fire in the new municipal building. There was no loss. It was only the city's old notes.

Fight Causes Two to Drop Dead

WORCESTER, Mass.—Patrick Eagleton, 70, and Mrs. Dennis Arsenault, 60, dropped dead of fright in a trolley waiting station here. Three infuriated men were having a three cornered fight.

And Doc Cook Was Mum

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—"The north pole was discovered once and the south pole twice," said Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, in the course of a lecture, and looking right at Dr. Frederick Cook, in the audience.

To Raise Artistic Vegetables

NEW YORK.—Here from Vienna to farm in Florida, Gabi Meeschl and Freda Laugel, artists' models, say they'll raise "artistic vegetables in an artistic way." Their artistic clothing caused a near riot on the steamer pier.

Press Agent Is Busy

NEW YORK.—Nan Campbell, actress, suffered by the newest thief's trick. She was standing on Broadway when a cane worked from a taxi window hooked her purse from her arm. Loss \$3,500, she says.

Must've Stopped on Route

MEKEESPORT, Pa.—Preachers are opposing Sunday funerals here be-

cause a band played "Onward Christian Soldiers" while marching to a Sabbath day funeral and "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here," while returning.

Death for Women

CHICAGO.—Quizzed by attorneys picking a murder jury, John F. Schiffman said he would vote to hang a woman, but was opposed to the death penalty for men.

Beat Pounders Stop Signal

PITTSBURGH.—Police Lieutenant David Lewis stepped on Mrs. Mary Daniel's toes to prevent her tapping a signal and his squad arrested several gamblers in a flat above her fruit store.

THIN BLOOD CAUSES BACKACHE

Every muscle in the body needs a supply of rich, red blood in proportion to the work it does.

The muscles of the back are under heavy strain and have but little rest. When the blood is thin they lack nourishment and rebel. The result is a sensation of pain in those muscles.

The best medical authorities agree that backache seldom or never means kidney trouble. Real organic kidney disease may have progressed to a critical point without developing a pain in the back. Doctors detect its presence by the excretions of the kidneys themselves.

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Month of MarchMARCH 7,568
Daily Average

1—Sunday	16—Mon	7,558
2—Mon	17—Tues	7,569
3—Tues	18—Wed	7,577
4—Wed	19—Thur	7,563
5—Thurs	20—Fri	7,584
6—Fri	21—Sat	7,556
7—Sat	22—Sunday	
8—Sunday	23—Mon	7,549
9—Mon	24—Tues	7,553
10—Tues	25—Wed	7,564
11—Wed	26—Thur	7,569
12—Thur	27—Fri	7,587
13—Fri	28—Sat	7,572
14—Sat	29—Sunday	
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	31—Tues	7,562

Totals 196,770
Average 7,568Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 1st day of April, 1914.A. E. BLEEKMAN,
Notary Public.WHICH WAY THE
WIND BLOWS

"Governor McGovern, at the time, (the last days of the session) protested that there were items in the appropriations of which he did not approve. * * * At that time the executive suggestions were received as an impertinence. * * * There seems to be a general impression in the state house that Governor McGovern will call a special session."

The foregoing, from the Free Press, of which Theodore Kronsage, Governor McGovern's former law partner and political advisor, is president, may be taken as a straw indicating the direction of the wind. It forms the only ground upon which to base an assumption that the governor seriously considers calling the legislature in extraordinary session.

WHAT POLICE WOMEN
ARE ACCOMPLISHING

In affixing his signature to the petition circulated by the ladies of the Twentieth Century Club, asking the city council to provide a policewoman for the city of La Crosse, Dr. Ed. Evans made the condition that the woman be suitable, competent. It was essential, this suggestion. Policewomen can do much good, provided they are good. They must be more than mere officials, they must be morally and temperamentally fit, imbued with the importance of their mission. They must not represent mere authority, but must convey a message to the young men and young women with whom they deal. What is being done along these lines, under proper conditions, is interestingly discussed by Mable Potter Jackson, in a recent number of

Pictorial review. We quote a synopsis of her article because it so fully meets the criticisms in a recent number of the Chicago Examiner:

"Their brother officers have not yet ceased to regard with amazement the unprecedented methods they have introduced in police work. They do make arrests when the occasion arises, but they make it their main business to prevent the necessity for arrests. In the suite of police officers occupied by Mrs. Baldwin in Portland, this pioneer policewoman opened the drawer of her desk recently to show me a revolver and a shining pair of handcuffs. Neither has ever been used and the revolver isn't even loaded. But there isn't a dive-keeper in Portland who dares admit an innocent girl into his place. If, by any inadvertence, one reaches his door-step, he calls nervously over Mrs. Baldwin's telephone. 'Come and take her away.' Out through Multnomah County, there were some road houses that thought themselves beyond the Portland policewoman's jurisdiction. But when she learned of the joy rides that ended in sorrow there, she arrived in an automobile accompanied by Governor West and a detail of armed guardsmen, who tacked on the walls a notice proclaiming these places closed under martial law.

"Preventive measures prevail throughout the policewoman's work. Miss Gloreux of Minneapolis takes down in a note-book the numbers of automobiles that stand outside the dance halls in the small hours of the morning. When she traces them to college fraternity houses, she calls a parental conference. There are mothers, it is true, who are sure it must be some one's else son, for theirs burns the midnight oil over Latin and Greek. But a father invariably understands and nods to the policewoman, 'I'll attend to this.' Mrs. Wells of Los Angeles with her pretty persuasive manner, is very successful with a direct appeal to the young people themselves. In her office, she has plain and private talks with boys and girls whom she has brought from darkened moving picture shows and other places of amusement. When she sends them on their separate ways, each with a sex-hygiene pamphlet, many a girl has learned what nobody else in all her young life had taken the trouble to tell her, why chance love-making with a young man's arm about her waist is dangerous. And there are young men who have shaken hands with the policewoman and thanked her for showing them that what they were doing wasn't fair or square."

It will be continued to be hoped, by the powerful optimistic, that the council may find some way, some time, to grant this request of the good women of La Crosse, a request endorsed by the mayor and by every local court which deals with cases of delinquency. There can no longer be doubt as to the value of the undertaking. Relatively its importance depends upon the character of the official, but that point settled no grounds for dispute remain. It is an unmitigated good.

DISTRIBUTION
NOT REPEAL

"Highway aid law and public bill could be repealed."

The foregoing, a section of the head used in the Leader-Press touching the story of the petition for special session of the legislature, is so misleading, no doubt unintentionally, that we feel a correction should be made. It is not proposed to repeal the highway aid law. As we understand the petition, the petitioners believe that there should be re-allocations in the road-building department as well as in the building department. However it is not so much because of over appropriation, as because of an unwise distribution of the appropriation, that the session is made necessary. The point is that the law compels an immediate levy to make available now money that will not be used for many months to come.

Ladies First

"The horse and the cow is in the field," read the teacher, "Mary, what is wrong with the sentence?"

Mary was evidently more versed in the rules of politeness than in the rules of grammar, for she answered promptly:

"The lady should be mentioned first."—Youth's Companion.

Quips and Cranks
and Wanton Wiles

The True Lent
Is this a fast, to keep
The larger leaner?
And cleane
From fat of veales and sheep?

Is it to quit the dish
Of flesh, yet still
To fill
The platter high with fish?

No: 'tis a fast, to dole
Thy sheaf of wheat,
And meat,
Unto the hungry soule.

It is fast from strife,
From old debate,
And hate;
To circumscribe thy life.

To show a heart grief-rent:
To starve thy sin,
Not bin;
And that's to keep thy Lent.

Herrick.

Slender Protection
"One of the characteristics of my old comrade, Amos Stillman, was bravery in actual fighting service," said the old soldier. "Another characteristic was a sense of humor which stood him in good stead, even in the face of danger, and contributed not a little to the gaiety of his comrades.

"At the battle of Cold Harbor, just before making the charge, and while under the Confederate fire, our corporal, who was over six feet high and scarcely bigger around than a gun barrel, became excited as the enemy's bullets plowed up the earth about him.

"What kind of a place is this to keep a man in?" he demanded; 'absolutely without protection!'

"He had no more than spoken when Private Stillman struck his ramrod in the ground:

"Here, corporal," said he, 'get behind this!'

Objected to His Pants

A horse owner was trying to sell a windbroken horse and was trotting with him around for inspection. The owner stroked the horse's neck and remarked to the prospective buyer:

"Hasn't he a lovely coat?"
But the other noticed that the horse was panting and answered:

"Ah, I like his coat all right, but I don't like his pants."

Not Enough

Mrs. Flora Spiegelberg, economic investigator of New York, was talking about her plan for a municipal ash and garbage incinerator, which would save the city over \$3,000,000 a year.

Mrs. Spiegelberg pointed out how much more sanitary as well as economical it would be for householders and for incinerating plants, to mix garbage and ashes together, the lye in the latter acting as a disinfectant for the former.

"We must adopt this new system, which succeeds so well abroad," said she. "It is not enough for a man to know a good thing when he sees it. He must seize a good thing when he knows it."

Luck All Around

An old farmer in Missouri called at a roadside public house, where he was well known. The landlady asked him to buy a ticket for a lottery they had on there.

"Well," he said, "I have nothing in my pocket or I might."

"Oh, that's all right, John," she said; "take the ticket and pay for it any time."

Some time later John called again and the landlady asked him if he knew what had won the lottery.

"No," he said, "Who won?"

"Well, I hardly durst tell you, but our Sam won. Wasn't he lucky?"

"Yes," said John, "he was lucky. And who won second then?"

"I durst hardly tell you. Who would you think now?"

"I couldn't say," said John.

"Well, it was our Sally. Wasn't she lucky?"

"And who third?"

"Well," she said, "you would never guess and I might as well tell. I was third."

"You were," he said. "Did I ever pay you for that ticket, missus?"

"No, John, you didn't," she said, frowning upon him.

"Well," said John, "ain't I lucky?"

The Obliging Maid

Two ladies made a formal call on a distant acquaintance. The maid called them to wait until she ascertained whether the person inquired for was in. Presently she tripped downstairs and announced that "the lady was not at home." One of the callers,

EAT LESS MEAT
IF BACK HURTS

Take a glass of Salts to flush
kidneys if bladder
bothers you.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked, get sluggish, clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

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finding that she had forgotten her cards, said to her friends: "Let me write my name on your card."

"O, it isn't at all necessary, miss," put in the maid cheerfully, "I told her who it was!"

The Reason Why

Jones—How did you come to have such an extraordinary pretty nurse

girl, my dear?

Mrs. Jones—Because I want our child to have police protection when she is in the park.

A Smashing Reply

Tommy had just completed his first term at a boarding school. On the evening of his return home, wishing to impress his little sister with the vastness of his knowledge, he led her to her nursery window, pointed to a star, and said:

"You see that light up there? Well it's bigger than all this world."

"No, 'tain't," replied his sister.

"But I tell you it is," returned the youthful scholar.

"Then why is it that it can't keep off the rain?" came the baffling retort.

If a grafter makes enough money at it he imagines he is a leading citizen and a public benefactor.

Worry and Worry.

If people would work as hard as they worry they wouldn't have time to worry.—New Orleans Picayune.

HOW YOU MAY THROW
AWAY YOUR GLASSES

The statement is made that thousands wear eyeglasses who do not really need them. If you are one of these unfortunate, then these glasses may be ruining your eyes instead of helping them. Thousands who wear these "windows" may prove for themselves that they can dispense with glasses if they will get the following prescription filled at once: Get to any active drug store and get a bottle of Opton; fill a two ounce bottle with warm water and drop in one Opton tablet. With this harmless liquid solution bathe the eyes two to four times daily, and you are likely to be astonished at the results right from the start. Many who have been told that they have astigmatism, eye-strain, cataract, sore eyelids, weak eyes, conjunctivitis and other eye disorders, report wonderful benefits from the use of this prescription. Get this prescription filled and use it; you may as strengthen your eyes that glasses will not be necessary. Thousands who are blind, or nearly so, or who wear glasses would never have required them if they had cared for their eyes in time. Save your eyes before it is too late! Do not become one of these victims of neglect. Eyeglasses are only like crutches and every few years they must be changed to fit the ever-increasing weakened condition, so better see if you can, like many others, get clear, healthy strong magnetic eyes through the prescription here given.

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By
HAROLD MACGRATH
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"Thanks," Elsa played with the packet, somberly eying the super-scriptions. The old disorder came back into her mind. Three of the letters were from Arthur. She dreaded to open them.

"Now, I'll expect you to come to the apartments and have tea at five."

"Be glad to. Only, don't have any one else. I just want to visit and talk as I used to."

"I promise not to invite anybody."

"I must be going, then. I'm not sure of my tickets to Hongkong."

"Go straight to the German Lloyd office. The next P. & O. boat is booked full. Don't bother to go to Cook's. Everybody's on the way home now. Go right to the office. I'll have my boy show you the way. Chong!" he called. A bright-eyed young Chinese came in quickly and silently from the other room. "Show lady German Lloyd office. All same quick."

"All right, lady come."

"Until tea."

In the outer office she paused for a moment or so to look at the magazines and weeklies from home. The Chinese boy, grinning pleasantly, peered curiously at Elsa's beautiful hands. She heard some one enter, and quite naturally glanced up. The newcomer was Mallow. He started at her, smiled familiarly and lifted his helmet.

Elsa, with cold unflickering eyes, offered his greeting no recognition whatever. The man felt that she was looking through him, inside of him, searching out all the dark corners of his soul. He dropped his gaze, confused. Then Elsa calmly turned to the boy.

"Come, Chong."

There was something in the manner of her exit that infinitely puzzled him. It was the insolence of the well-bred, but he did not know it. To offset his chagrin and confusion, he put on his helmet and passed into the private office. He was out of his range of understanding.

Mallow was an American by birth but had grown up in the Orient, hardly. In his youth he had been beaten and trampled upon, and now that he had become rich in copra (the dried kernels of coconuts from which oil is made), he in his turn beat and trampled. It was the only law he knew. He was without refinement, never having come into contact with that state of being long enough to fall under its influence. He was a shrewd bargainer; and any who respected him did so for two reasons, his strength and his wallet. Such flattery sufficed his needs. He was unmarried; by inclination, perhaps, rather than by failure to find an agreeable mate. There were many women in Penang and Singapore who would have snapped him up, had the opportunity offered, despite the fact that they knew his history tolerably well. Ordinarily, when in Penang and Singapore, he behaved himself, drank circumspectly and hummed promiscuous companions. But when he did drink heartily, he was a man to be ware of.

He hailed the consul-general cordially and offered him one of his really choice cigars, which was accepted.

"I say, who was that young woman who just went out?"

The consul-general laid down the cigar. The question itself was harmless enough; it was Mallow's way of clothing it he resented. "Why?" he asked.

"She's a stunner. Just curious if you knew her, that's all. We came down on the same boat. Hanged if I shouldn't like to meet her."

"You met her on board?"

"I can't say that. Rather uppish on the steamer. But, do you know her?" eagerly.

"I do. More than that. I have always known her. She is the daughter of the late General Chetwood, one of the greatest civil engineers of our time. When he died he left her several millions. She is a remarkable young woman, a famous beauty, known favorably in European courts, and I can't begin to tell you how many other accomplishments she has."

"Well, stump me!" returned Mal-

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Big reductions right through the line of Cedar Chests and Mattings Boxes. We have a splendid assortment which has been marked down 33 1-3 per cent for Tuesday. Don't fail to look them over.

Bear in mind—new beginners—that we furnish your home complete. Same terms—10 per cent down and 10 per cent monthly—during this Pre-Remodeling Sale. We guarantee to save you \$25 to \$75 on your outfit.

Boyer-Furber Furniture Co.

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low. "Is that all straight?"

"Every word of it," with a chilliness that did not escape a man even so impervious as Mallow.

"Is she a free-thinker?"

"What the devil is that? What do you mean?"

"Only this, if she's all you say she is, why does she pick out an abscorder for a friend, a chap who dare not show his fizzes in the States?"

I heard the tale from a man once employed in his office back in New York. A beach-comber, a dock-walker, if there ever was one."

"Mallow, you'll have to explain that instantly."

"Hold your horses, my friend. What I'm telling you is on the level. She's been hobnobbing with the fellow all the way down from the Irrawaddy, so I'm told. Never spoke to any one else. Made him sit at her side at table and labored Italian at him, as if she didn't want others to know what she was talking about. I know the man. Fired him from my plantation, when I found out what he was. Can't recall his name just now, but he is known out here as

Warrington; Parrot & Co."

The consul-general was genuinely shocked.

"You can't blame me for thinking things," went on Mallow. "What man wouldn't? Ask her about Warrington. You'll find that I'm telling the truth, all right."

"If you are, then she has made one of those mistakes women make when they travel alone. I shall see her at tea and talk to her. But I do not thank you, Mallow, for telling me this. A finer, loyaler-hearted girl doesn't live. She might have been kind out of sympathy."

Mallow bit of the tip of his cigar.

"He's a handsome beggar, if you want to know."

"I resent that tone. Better drop the subject before I lose my temper. I'll have your papers ready for you in the morning." The consul-general caught up his pen savagely to indicate that the interview was at an end.

"All right," said Mallow good-naturedly. "I meant no harm. Just naturally curious. Can't blame me."

(To Be Continued)

Comparative Statement
Batavian National Bank

RESOURCES

Jan. 13, 1914. March 4, 1914

Loans and discounts	\$2,207,341.53	\$2,164,424.09
Overdrafts	2,275.26	2,663.49
U. S. 3 per cent bonds	233,600.00	233,600.00
Other bonds	517,330.00	634,980.00
Banking house & fixtures	45,000.00	45,000.00
5% redemption fund	10,928.00	10,930.00
Cash	287,678.69	285,199.36
Due from banks	575,322.29	882,356.06

\$3,879,475.77 \$4,259,103.00

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$ 400,000.00	400,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00	150,000.00
Undivided profits	41,889.63	54,224.66
National bank notes outstanding	218,600.00	218,600.00
Deposits	3,067,805.39	3,436,278.34
Reserved for taxes	1,180.75	

\$3,879,475.77 \$4,259,103.00

"SMATTER, POP?"

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By C. N. PAYNE



ORANGES

We bought today for Easter Week three cars best Navel Oranges ever unloaded at La Crosse. Glendora Heights, Sunkist; Stork Brand, Sunkist; East Highlands A. A. Pure Gold; Oranges, "Sunkist" and Pure Gold.

Price in five box lots:

96 size, per box.....	\$2.25
112 size, per box.....	\$2.35
126 size, per box.....	\$2.40
150 size, per box.....	\$2.60
176, 200, 216, 250, per box.....	\$2.75

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EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE
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Calls attended day or night.
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Work Called For and Delivered Promptly
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The Worth of Our Service is shown in the promptness with which we deliver your freight from all depots to any part of the city. Test our service with an order. BOTH PHONES 179.
Gateway City Transfer Co.
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A Suggestion

Leave your drug and drug sundry order at

JULE'S PHARMACY
529 Main Street

on your way down town and call for goods on your way home.

C. Q. D.

Campbell's Quick Delivery.
Packages called for and delivered. Phone 82.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife, Mrs. Chas. Nesham.
(Signed) CHAS. NESHAM.

A Gentle Husband.

Woman (to her husband, busily engaged writing) — My dear, correctly speaking, what is a dentist? Husband (crossly) — Derived from dent, French for teeth, a man who pulls teeth. (Husband settles down to writing again.) Wife — My dear, you said this morning that linguist was derived from the Latin lingua, a tongue. Husband (crossly) — Yes. Wife — Well, dear, is a linguist a man who pulls out tongues? Husband — No, madam, but I wish he did. — London Answers.

PERSONALS

\$20,000.00 to loan at 5 per cent on La Crosse real estate, in amounts from \$1,000 to \$2,000. Why pay 6 or 7 per cent? Inquire of B. H. Volz, 624 South Seventh, Both phones.

Oscar Knapp, Lancaster, Wis., spent Saturday in the city.

Thomas Flynn, Boscebel, was a city caller Saturday.

Nels Thorud, Peterson, Minn., called on friends and relatives in the city Friday and Saturday.

L. M. Thompson has returned to his home in Viroqua, after a short visit in the city.

Robert Birkeli, Melrose, Wis., transacted business in the city Saturday.

Sidney Austin, Galesville, Wis., made a business trip to the city on Saturday, returning late in the day.

H. A. Hoff, Chaseburg, Wis., was a city caller Saturday.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

Mrs. K. Berg, Winona, called on friends and relatives in the city on Saturday.

L. C. and J. W. Williamson, Chaseburg, were the guests of friends and relatives in the city Saturday.

S. M. Neprud, Viroqua, spent a few hours in the city Saturday.

E. P. Flanagan, Readstown, Wis., transacted business in the city on Saturday.

Daniel Claudy, McGregor, Iowa, was a city caller Saturday.

H. Ronnenberg, of Indianapolis, transacted business in the city Saturday.

N. J. Keating, Wausau, Wis., called in the city Saturday, returning yesterday.

George H. Cochrane, of Milwaukee, was a business caller in the city on Saturday.

A. Johnson has returned to Viroqua after a short visit in the city.

Henry Rippe, New Albion, Iowa, spent Saturday in the city.

License for the marriage of Miss Effie May Strong and Walter B. Herman, both of Minier, Ill., and Miss Lilian Ortmeyer and William J. Weigel, both of La Crosse, were issued by County Clerk Bert Jolivet today.

MARKET SQUARE

H. Helke, Mormon Coulee road, sold a load of hay in the city Saturday.

H. Bay, Chipmunk Coulee, came in Saturday with a load of hay which he sold in the city.

George Richter, Bostwick Valley road, brought in a load of hay Saturday.

The Atkinson brothers, La Crescent, sold two loads of hay in the city Saturday.

L. A. Belling, Chipmunk Coulee, delivered a load of potatoes in the city Saturday.

John Farrell, Pine Creek, sold a load of potatoes Saturday.

William Proksh, Mormon Coulee, came in Saturday with a load of hay.

James Farrell, Pine Creek, sold a load of hay in the city Saturday.

J. Koethe, Brownsville road, came in Saturday with a load of hay.

John Knobloch, St. Joseph's Ridge, sold a load of corn in town Saturday.

William Knobloch, St. Joseph's Ridge, disposed of a load of potatoes Saturday.

Felix Hafner, South Ridge, sold two loads of hogs at a local market Saturday.

J. P. Miller, Hokah road, came in Saturday with a load of hay.

William Kathman, South Ridge, brought in a load of hay Saturday.

WORDS OF KINDNESS.

A pleasant word spoken in the morning may change the aspect and even the events of the whole day for the person who receives it. If words of kindness were more frequent at home and abroad, how much happier the world would be! We may say of a kindly temper that it is like lighting another man's candle by one's own, which loses none of its light by what the other gains.

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Thickness

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant, remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, gray or dry, scraggly and thin. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," thus avoiding a lot of muck.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

Miss Cordelia LEE

The World's Greatest Woman Violinist—Called by Critics

"The Second Ole Bull"

Will Appear at

La Crosse Theatre
Thursday, Apr. 16
Prices 50c, 75c, \$1

WANTS A DIVORCE AND NEW HUSBAND



Claudia Carlstadt Wheeler.

Mrs. Claudia Carlstadt Wheeler, who has sued her father-in-law, Albert G. Wheeler of Chicago, for \$1,000,000, alleging alienation of her husband's affections, announced last week that she is after an absolute divorce and a new husband. Although she would not admit whom she had chosen, she described her ideal in glowing terms.

SPOTLIGHTS

STOCK COMPANY'S FAREWELL.

On Wednesday night the Van Dyke & Eaton company will end what they claim the most successful stock engagement ever played. They declare that nowhere in the annals of the stage can there be pointed to such a length of run in a city the size of La Crosse. The company, with a few exceptions, has remained the same in regard to its members, and the real amount of work can perhaps be imagined when the following facts are presented to the reader: Take first the committing or memorizing of the lines of a part. The average leading roles—such as played by Miss Tolson or Mr. Hastings—average about sixty pages, or as they say in the profession, "sides." These "sides" average eighteen lines of printed or typewritten matter with an average of ten words to the line, which makes the average part call for the memorizing of about ten thousand, eight hundred words. When you stop to think that those words have to be spoken twice each day, and that at the same time the actor is putting in their place ten thousand more as well as going to dressmakers, tailors, haberdashers and milliners, to say nothing of barbers, hairdressers and the like, it is apparent their path is not one of primroses and violets. It is just such work that the members of this company have done to afford La Crosse the entertainment that has been given them for seven months. And this work has not fallen on any one member, but all alike have shared in the result. Perhaps the one who has had the most nerve-reckoning task of all is Mr. Vickery, the director, for while the ordinary actor has only to do as he is told, Mr. Vickery has burned lots of midnight oil in finding out just what it was that he had to tell them to do. But, as we started out to say, on Wednesday night, the last night of the engagement, the various members of the cast, Miss Tolson, Miss Stein, Mr. Hastings, Mr. Vickery, Mr. Foster, Mr. Brandon, Mr. Larose, Mr. Mack and all the others will be called upon to make a curtain speech at the performance, and tell all their friends just how much they have enjoyed their season in La Crosse.

SOCIETY

ENTERTAIN FOR GUEST

Mrs. J. Stormont entertained a few friends Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Priest, who lately located here from Bristol, Eng. Covers were laid for six.

Y. P. C. U. MEETS

The Young People's Christian union of St. Paul's Universalist church will hold their regular monthly business session at the parsonage at 7:30 tonight. There will be a meeting of exceptional importance to every individual member of the union and a full attendance is desired.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. J. C. Niedbalski, 1108 South Fifth street, was surprised by a number of her friends Wednesday evening in honor of her birthday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Krueger, Mr. and Mrs. Pitzner, Mrs. Burrows, Mrs. Kohn, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Toeller, Mrs. Bradley, Miss P. Niedbalski, Miss M. Niedbalski, Mr. Art Brague, Mr. Simenson, Mr. Belcher, Mr. F. Kreuger and Mr. and Mrs. Niedbalski.

MRS. BRADLEY SURPRISED

Mrs. M. Bradley, 415 South Sixth street, was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends on Saturday evening in honor of her birthday. Mrs. Bradley was presented with a handsome electric dome by her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Krueger, Mr. and Mrs. Pitzner, Mrs. E. C. Hinds and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley, Mesdames Weller, Peters, Novak, Toeller, Burrows, and Mr. Somenson, Mr. Belcher, Mr. Grove and Mrs. Bradley and sons.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Miss Ruth Smith of Morrison, Ill., who was the guest of Miss Gertrude Jves, left this morning for her school, Stout Institute, Menominee, Wis.

Mrs. David Austin entertained a few at bridge Saturday afternoon.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Gen. G. M. Crock.

An ingenious Frenchman once devised a clock that would tell him the time in the dark, not through his eye but through his mouth. Beside his bed he placed a large flat clock dial of which every hour was marked by a small cavity. In each of these he placed a different spice; the figure 12 for instance, held quinine and the figure 6 cloves. To find the time he felt the short hand with his fingers and dipped them into the cavity to which it pointed, then tasted his fingers. This gave him the hour. To get the minutes he felt for the long hand and tasted the spice to which it pointed. If he tasted pepper and then nutmeg, for instance, he knew it was half past 3.

Also Lid, Dicer, Etc.

Among the slang synonyms for "bat" is "cady," which is supposed to have a Hebrew origin, and has been long in use in Whitechapel in London, as witness a popular song of 1886, in which the refrain supplies one of the few rhymes to "lady": "Met a lady, raised my cady." It is doubtful whether any article of apparel has so many slang alternatives as a hat. A by no means exhaustive list would include "tile," "golgotha," "cannister," "castor," "chimney," "collager," "cock and pinch," "cow shooter," "david," "digget's delight," "fantail," "gomer," "goss," "mushroom," "pill box," "stove pipe," "thatch," "truck" and "weeje." — London Chronicle.

Men's Evening Clothes.

The masculine dress suit, if not beautiful, is democratic. It puts all men at a social function on a level with one another and saves them from the bitter rivalry of dress. You never find a man dejected and bad tempered because the fellow sitting opposite has a better tailor than his or has been able to spend more money upon his dress, tie or shirt. The vanity of male youth must express itself in socks or his ordinary attire. The democratic dress suit is sacred.—Exchange.

Beards and Arms.

The German emperor is not the only tyrant in the matter of whiskers. A British army regulation reads: "The hair of the head is to be kept short. The upper lip is not to be shaved, and the chin and under lip are to be shaved." Marbot tells in his reminiscences how when he joined the First Hussars at Nice a false moustache had to be painted on his upper lip with shoe blacking before he dared to appear before the regiment.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Diamonds

We have largely increased our Diamond stock by offering splendid values in the finest quality of Diamonds in 14k gold mountings.

Diamond Rings, single and cluster, Diamond La Valliers, new designs that will please, ranging in price from

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An inspection of our stock invited.

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We Carefully Examine

the teeth of our clients and give expert advice as to their treatment. We never advise extraction if a tooth can be saved, and often fill a tooth instead of letting the owner lose it. Of course, we extract Teeth when necessary and do so painlessly and quickly. We make a special feature of Crown and Bridge work.

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The Painless Dentist

115-South 4th St. La Crosse, Wis.

CASSELLS FUNERAL HELD YESTERDAY

City Officials All Attend Services for Late Mayor of Tomah Sunday Afternoon

TOMAH, Wis., April 6.—A large number of people attended the funeral yesterday of the late W. B. Cassels, mayor of the city of Tomah, who died at his home here on Friday. The funeral was held from the home at 2:30 and about two o'clock large throngs of people were present and as there was no accommodation for them, they had to stand outside on the lawn surrounding the house.

After a service at the home which was conducted by Rev. J. G. Smith of the Congregational church, the remains were laid to rest in Oak Grove cemetery. The procession consisted of members of the city council, the G. A. R., the local fire department, in uniform, followed by the relatives of the deceased and many friends.

Deceased was born in Fife, Scotland, and when but a child came over to the United States with his parents. Although a foreigner by birth, when the call for troops was issued at the beginning of the civil war, Mr. Cassels who was but eighteen years old, offered his services and enlisted as a musician. He took an active part in several battles but was in a hospital during the last year of the war. Mr. Cassels, although he lived here most of his life, was well known on the Mississippi river in the early days, and he had many interesting stories to tell. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow, one daughter, Miss Grace Cassels, and three sons, Mr. Bert Cassels of La Crosse; Edward Cassels of Chicago, and G. Cassels of Wausau. All were present at the funeral.

His official duties will be taken up by Mr. Ed Griswold, who has been acting mayor since Mr. Cassels' illness. Mr. Griswold is an alderman from the Third ward.

Confirm 21 Candidates
A class of twenty-one candidates was confirmed on Sunday in the German Lutheran church by the Rev. J. G. Glaeser. A large number of people were present at the service which was very beautiful. Three persons were confirmed in the German Evangelical church by Rev. Wello, they were Miss Eunice and Marion Vebie and Miss Georgia Messner.

Locals and Personals
Mr. F. O. Drowatzky who, for the past year has been agent for the Overland automobile, has discontinued that agency and has taken the agency for the Lambert, a friction drive machine. Mr. Drowatzky has one of the cars on hand now and is using it as a demonstration. The Franz Brothers have accepted the Overland agency and have received a carload recently.

Mrs. Fetkenhauer who was recently adjudged insane, was taken to the state asylum at Mendota Saturday. She was accompanied by the undersheriff and her son Paul Fetkenhauer, who is a farmer south of the city.

Mrs. C. W. Crotty came home Saturday to spend the week with his family here.

Harrison Seymour who has been visiting relatives at Brookfield, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. E. C. Howard of La Crosse, spent Sunday here.

Lloyd Dewey, H. Monahan, Jesse Stewart were callers in Sparta Sunday evening.

Dr. Butler, a veterinarian from Sparta, was a caller in the city on Sunday.

Carl Berry of Sparta, spent Sunday afternoon here.

The work on the interior of the creamery is being pushed as rapidly as possible. Already a new churn and vat has been installed and it will not be long now until the new part will be in running order.

Mr. R. C. Stone spent Sunday at Ridgeville.

Palm Sunday was observed in the city by several services in all the churches.

Theodore Smith, who for the past week has been very ill is improving rapidly.

Dr. Geo. A. Murray is able to be around after being very sick with pneumonia.

Considerable interest is being taken in the coming election on Tuesday. The rivalry for the city offices is intense and it is certain that there will be small majorities in some cases.

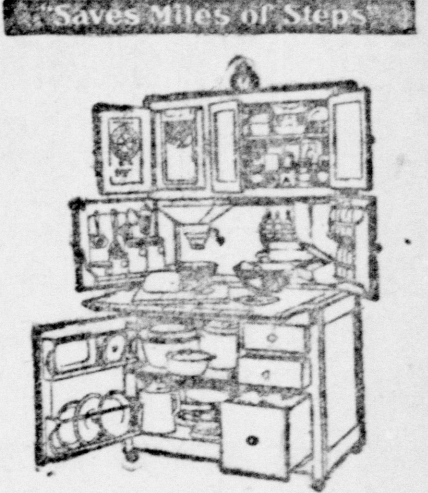
Mr. Fred Barrows has purchased a Ford automobile. This completes the Ford owners in the block in which he lives. Every resident in the block in which Mr. Barrows lives is at present an owner of a Ford.

E. C. Hutchinson of Grand Rapids was a caller here on Saturday.

E. Krueger of Chicago is expected home soon.

B. E. Newcomb of Sparta spent Sunday visiting relatives in the city.

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FOR EASTER

Let Your Selection Be a

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pretty rapidly. To their parents it seems that a new pair of shoes was needed about as often as pay day comes around.

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so their life will be doubled. Put strong, sturdy soles on them. Sew them so they will stay sewed. Send your youngsters here with their damaged or worn shoes. We'll make them serviceable and "fit to be seen" again.

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Reynard the Fox.

Reynard, or, as it is more usually written, Reynard, is the name given to the fox in a famous German epic of the fourteenth century called "Reynard the Fox." The book is really a satire on the state of Germany in the middle ages, the different animals, each of which are given a special name, typifying different institutions. Thus Reynard the Fox stands for the church, Isengrim the Wolf for the barons and Nodel the Lion for the emperor. Other characters are Tibert the Cat and Bruin the Bear. Both in the last named case and that of Reynard the personal name given by the author has passed into common speech.

First Life Insurance Policy.

William Gibbons, who deserves to be better known, was the first man to insure his life. This policy was made in June, 1583, and was for the sum of £383 6s. 8d. for twelve months, sixteen underwriters dividing the risk. And this first policy also produced the first insurance law case, for when William died in the following May the underwriters attempted to maintain that twelve months meant twelve periods of twenty-eight days and had to be taken into court before they would pay up.—London Graphic.

Artificial Diamonds.

An English scientist has produced minute diamonds by exploding a powder made of carbon.

WHEN EVERY EFFORT TIRES YOU OUT

Don't let the idea that you may feel better in a day or two prevent you from getting a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla today and being at once on the road to health and strength. Your blood is impure and impoverished. It lacks vitality. Your digestion is poor, and all the functions of your body are impaired. Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will build you up quicker than anything else. It gives strength to do and power to endure.

Tomorrow Afternoon and Evening "DANIEL"

A magnificent reproduction of Biblical history. Introducing two most miraculous and thrilling events: The Children of Israel in the Fiery Furnace, and Daniel in the Lion's Den.

It is a sublime Vitagraph Special Offering. Come to the Matinee Tomorrow.

The CASINO

BANK CITY CHOICE SATISFIES WILSON

Declares His Belief that Locations for the Reserve Banks Were Honestly Chosen

STAYS OUT OF NAVY ARGUMENT

Refuses to Discuss Order Making the Service Absolutely Dry

(By JOHN E. NEVIN)
(Staff Correspondent of the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Adverse criticism of the federal reserve district, created by Secretary McAdoo and Houston, is meeting with no response from President Wilson. The executive said today that he believed the selections were honestly made; that they were decided on after complete investigation of the actual trade conditions and capitalization and exchange methods of the banks in each district.

The president made it very plain that he had no hand in the selection of the reserve cities. The committee, however, has furnished him with complete information as to how it reached its conclusions.

No Recognition

Reports of impending recognition of the belligerency of the Mexican constitutionalists are premature. The president said today that he had no request of this character from Gen. Carranza. He further made it plain that circumstances alone will determine what action he shall take in the recognition of any government in Mexico. His hand may be forced by sudden developments, but unless this should take place a policy of non-recognition until a form of government has been established will be pursued.

Avoids Naval Problem

President Wilson today refused to be drawn into the controversy which has arisen through the issuance of an order by Secretary Daniels making the navy absolutely dry. He took the position that this is a departmental matter for which Secretary Daniels is alone responsible and refused to say whether he had seen the order before it was issued.

Not Vital Issue

In expressing his belief today that stories of wholesale desertions by senators on his anti-free tolls program were untrue, the president made it plain that he does not believe the tolls question will be a vital issue in this fall's campaign.

FRED W. KRONER MARRIED SATURDAY

La Crosse Hardware Man Weds Miss Louise Jacobson at Elroy Saturday; Surprises Friends

Fred W. Kroner of the Fred Kroner Hardware company was married Saturday afternoon at Elroy to Miss Louise Jacobson of that city.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents. Although the wedding had been expected for some time, the announcement came as a surprise.

Mr. Kroner will return to La Crosse tomorrow.

PEARL OLIVER IS CALLED BY DEATH

Pearl Oliver died yesterday morning at 5:30 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Doretta Elgar, 2027 Kane street, after an illness with paralysis extending over a period of more than three years.

Mr. Oliver was 76 years of age, being a retired farmer. He had lived in La Crosse for the past eight years at 1633 Charles street, coming here from Genoa, where he lived for eighteen years.

Besides his widow, he leaves four children, Mrs. Doretta Elgar, Mrs. A. L. Ryser and Fred Oliver of La Crosse, and Mrs. Helen Madosky of Milwaukee, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Richmond of Victory, Wis., and Mrs. Peshal Kish of Memphis, Tenn.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the home of the daughter, Mrs. Elgar, 2027 Kane street, and at 1 o'clock at the church in Genoa. Rev. M. E. Fraser officiating. Interment will take place in the Genoa cemetery.

SAYS ROADS NEVER HAD FREE SERVICE

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their tracks are to each other. It involves no more service to place the cars for loading adjacent to the warehouse doors than it would be to place the cars adjacent to their two freight buildings; in fact the Northwestern railroad frequently uses our loading track for their own switching purposes. We have no private track connected to the Northwestern road.

The same proposition, generally, holds true of the service of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy. The loading or industrial track is used by several shippers, and lays parallel with their main line through the city and within one-half block thereof and is entirely within their yard limits in the city. From them we have also a very short private track less than one-half block long within our own premises, lying parallel with their main line only three or four rods away from it, and from this track, under certain conditions, they are permitted to store all their cars.

Our service with the C. M. & St. P. road involves a loading track, either on their own right of way or immediately adjacent thereto and lies entirely within the limits of their yards in the city.

Placing cars for loading for us involves no more service than to place the same car elsewhere upon what might be deemed a general switching track at their freight house.

It must be remembered in figuring on the carload rates, the railroad companies are almost wholly relieved from the labor of handling the merchandise at all either in loading or unloading. They are not only relieved of the labor of handling the goods themselves but of the necessity of furnishing warehouse room of their own for storage of goods during the loading and unloading process. If separate industrial tracks or private tracks were entirely disregarded in La Crosse and the handling of carloads of merchandise were transferred to the railroad companies' freight house and tracks, every railroad company in the city would have to double or treble its warehouse facilities and track facilities for reaching the same and the railroad companies would be obliged to handle the merchandise in loading and unloading.

In utilizing the private or the industrial track, they are only doing what they would have to furnish at some other point as a part of their service, but in so doing are relieved of the labor, care and responsibility of handling the merchandise during the loading and unloading process.

It is very plain therefore that in including within the railroad rate the service of placing the cars upon private or industrial tracks, they are making no gift to the shipper.

It is distinctly a financial advantage to the common carrier to utilize these facilities as against passing the traffic through their warehouses and over their public switching tracks within their own yards. From this review of conditions which I know to be pertinent to practically all points where carload freights are handled. It is manifest that the carload rates made by the carriers include and ought to include the service of placing the cars for the convenience of the shipper for loading purposes. There would be absolutely no justification for a change in this respect, that the writer can see, to make a charge for such services in addition to the quoted freight rate as stated above and which would amount to an absolute increase in the rate; the increase being merely disguised under another name. To the writer it would seem as just and logical to assume that their freight rate involves the use of their tracks only, and not the use of the cars; but if the railroad company furnishes the car they should be entitled to an extra charge for the use thereof.

The main question, of course, is what service has the rate been intended to cover in the past? The facts are overwhelming that the charge was intended to and did cover the entire service; and it was and is entirely legitimate for the common carriers to make their rates so as to cover the entire service and there is absolutely no basis for the assumption that the common carriers have granted to shippers some privilege that they ought not to have granted in so doing.

Undoubtedly, it is true as Mr. Brandeis' contention, that if the railroad companies should charge extra for this service it would tend to lessen their demand for a flat 5 per cent increase in their rates. It would do so to the extent that the increased revenue would meet the computed additional revenue from a 5 per cent increase. But that contention would of course be true as to any method of securing an increase in income through their freight revenues—as for instance, the privilege of charging extra for the use of the cars as distinguished from the use of the tracks or, assuming their freight rate

SOCIALISTS' FIGHT CENTERS INTEREST

Municipal Contest in Milwaukee Chief Fight in the State Elections

GOVERNOR'S REFERENDUM IS UP

Special Session to Be Voted Upon by People in the Smaller Communities

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 6.—With the fight for municipal offices centering squarely on socialism or nonpartisanship, Milwaukee politicians today began their last active campaign.

Emil Seidel is the socialist candidate for mayor, heading a long socialist ticket. Opposed to him is Dr. G. A. Bading, the present mayor. Back of the present mayor are lined members of all parties opposed to the socialists. The socialists claim they will have a vote of forty thousand—a record for them. Nonpartisans say they will have 45,000 votes.

While Milwaukee is settling its ancient feud there will be many elections throughout the state. Besides the election of city officers, the smaller places will vote on the governor's referendum as to whether or not a special session of the legislature should be called to reduce the tax levy.

Madison is to vote on the wet and dry proposition after a hot campaign. At Superior the proposed recall of Mayor Kinkle has complicated matters.

means only to cover haulage between the yard limits and making an extra charge for the use of the tracks within the yard limits.

The writer believes when you have thoroughly analyzed the situation you will see that there is no just basis for entertaining the proposition. Respectfully submitted,

Yours truly,
C. W. DICKINSON.

MILWAUKEE ELKS INSTALL OFFICERS

Officers of the Milwaukee lodge of Elks came to La Crosse Saturday and Saturday night installed the recently elected officers of the local lodge. About twenty members accompanied them.

Judge Karel, exalted ruler of the State Elk association, accompanied the Milwaukee officers.

Following the installation and initiation of a class a social session was held in the club rooms.

Following are the Milwaukeeans here to put on the work: Chauncey Yockey, exalted ruler; Hugo Frank, esteemed leading knight; Ray Wilmer, esteemed loyal knight; Louis Rathke, esteemed lecturing knight; P. J. Kelley, secretary; Herman Franke, treasurer; E. W. Hilliard, chaplain; Harry Thornton, esquire; Thomas Mahon, organist; Edward Windfelder, William Hunkel, trustees; Judge J. C. Karel, state president; Albert Grundman, Joseph Marks, Robert Messmer, all of Milwaukee.

ANNOUNCES PROGRAM

The following program for the Passion week services for St. John's church has been announced by Rev. John Kloecker:

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday —7:30 p. m., tenebrae.

Holy Thursday, April 9—7 a. m., high mass, processional and exposition of the holy sacrament.

Good Friday, April 10—8 a. m., matins, procession to the holy sepulchre; 3 p. m., stations of the cross and sermon; 7:30 p. m., tenebrae and sermon.

Saturday, April 11—7 a. m., exaltation, benediction and blessing of baptismal water, followed by high mass; 7:30 p. m., resurrection feast.

Easter Sunday, April 12—8 a. m., resurrection feast and low mass; 10 a. m., high mass and benediction; 3 p. m., vespers.

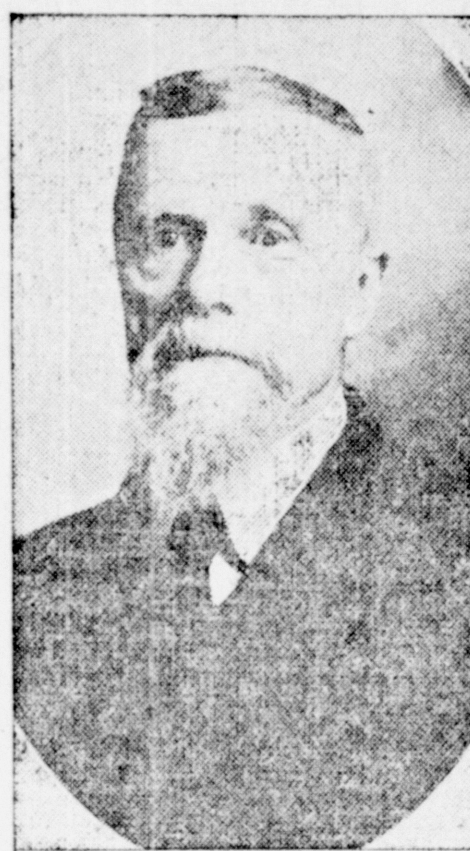
Easter Monday, April 13—9 a. m., high mass.

WOMAN WRECKS JAIL

Chairs, furniture and windows were shattered at the county jail last night when Annie Olson, an insane patient of the town of Burns became unmanageable, according to Under-sheriff George Ritter. She was adjudged insane today.

A man never has much to fear from a woman who is fat enough to shake when she laughs.

MARK FIFTIETH MILESTONE OF LIFE TOGETHER



I. SCHILLING

Mr. and Mrs. I. Schilling yesterday celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding at their residence, 221 South Tenth street. Only the immediate members of the family were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schilling, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Schilling, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schilling and Mr. Albert Schilling, all of La Crosse, and five grandchildren.

Numerous letters and telegrams of congratulation were received from friends and relatives out of the city.

Mr. Schilling was born January 1, 1835, in the town of Schrumberg, Wurtemberg, Germany. At the age of 18 years he came to America, locating at Battle Creek, Mich., where he engaged for a number of years in the soap business. Mrs. Schilling was born October 10, 1843, in Erlanger, Bavaria, Germany, coming to this country in 1863.

On April 5, 1864, Isidor Schilling and Barbara Meyer were married at Battle Creek. A few years later, in 1872, they came to La Crosse, where Mr. Schilling engaged in the soap business for eighteen years, up to 1890, at which time he entered the wholesale paper business. Although still interested in the business, Mr. Schilling has retired.

RELIGIOUS TALKER BEATEN BY A MOB

Des Moines Baptist Minister Kidnaped and Attacked by Gang in Denver

DENVER, Col., April 6.—The Rev. Otis L. Spurgeon, Baptist minister of Des Moines, Iowa, was kidnaped from his apartment in the Pierce hotel shortly after 8 o'clock last night. He was forced into a motor car and carried twenty-four miles out of Denver on the Burlington road, where six men, who held him prisoners, forced him to leave the machine, first beating him severely over the head and body, and then abandoned him in the darkness after warning him never to return to Denver.

After lying in a ditch, alongside the road for two hours, the clergyman made his way to the house of Deputy Sheriff George W. Rucker, of Adams county, where he was later located by city detectives. He was removed to St. Luke's hospital and his injuries dressed. Dr. Surgeon was severely cut about the head and suffered from loss of blood.

Dr. Surgeon's appearance in Denver for a series of addresses, alleged to be anti-Catholic, has been attended by trouble which reached a climax last night when a mob of 100 persons gathered around the Pierce hotel, where the clergyman was staying. The crowd forced its way into the hotel and invaded the Rev. Dr. Surgeon's room. The minister was carried down two flights of stairs to the street and forced to enter the automobile.

Dr. Surgeon is still in St. Luke's hospital here, where he was taken last night. Although beaten severely about the head, it is stated that he is not dangerously hurt.

No arrests have been made and trace of the kidnapers has apparently been lost. Chief of Police O'Neill said that if any of the men responsible or the affair could be located they would be prosecuted.

Wife Joins K

DES MOINES, Ia., April 6.—Following receipt of a telegram from her husband, Rev. Otis Spurgeon, local minister, mobbed in Denver last night, his wife left early today to join him. She was in a highly nervous state but said she would at once join her husband and nurse him back to health.

Rev. Dr. Spurgeon is a Baptist minister who until last year was in charge of a church at Nashua, Iowa. He resigned to accept the position of national secretary of the Knights of Luther.

Little Eva brought a comb and brush to her mother and said, "Mamma please make a pathway in my hair."

POSTPONE REVOLT FOR THE CARNIVAL

"Bob" Robertson Tells How Pleasure Mad Brazilians Dance on Brink of Revolution

BANKRUPT BUT SPEND MILLIONS

Financial Crisis Bringing On Grim War but Nation Disports Heedlessly in Extravagant Carnival

(Editor's Note:—"Grown up children"—that is the way the Brazilians appeal to H. B. Robertson, formerly city editor of The Tribune, now in Rio. His latest letter gives an interesting sidelight on the pleasure mad character of the South Americans, holding high carnival on the brink of a volcano of revolution.)

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

March 11, 1914.

Dear Brayton:—

The two annual events of overwhelming importance to this part of the world took place since my last letter to the Tribune; one was the Carnival, three days and nights of folly and fun; and the other was the revolution, or rather the stamping out of the revolution which I predicted several months ago. Rio de Janeiro is now under martial law, the decree having been published the 5th of March. That the Carnival was by far the more important is proved by the fact that the revolution was postponed by unanimous consent until the million odd citizens of this city had recovered their breath and patriotism.

Martial Law

Martial law was ordained at midnight the night of March 4th, and before daylight the next morning, one marshal of the army, seven general divisions, a major, two colonels, eight or ten captains and lieutenants and a large number of lesser officers of the troops stationed here were arrested and imprisoned in the barracks, on the battleships and in the forts. The editors of five newspapers and many plain citizens with political convictions were also arrested on the charge of treason and preaching sedition.

Troops in barracks in the inland towns were rushed to this city and this force together with the regular garrison here was augmented by marines from the battleships. President Fonseca Hermes' palace in the rua Cattete is strongly guarded by a troop of cavalry who patrol every approach to the big mansion and three battleships are anchored in the bay a short distance away with the muzzles of their big guns turned in threatening protection of the president and his party.

Wherever large numbers of people assemble, the police and soldiers go through the crowds searching the men for weapons and when these are found they are promptly confiscated and often the owner is arrested.

Cause of Stringency

The fundamental cause of the threatened revolt, of course is the financial stringency under which Brazil is laboring and which is blamed on the misadministration of the present government. The stringency was felt more in the northern provinces where the drop in the rubber market wrought havoc and ruin. Padre Cicero, a priest leading a band of "fanatics" blew the spark into flame and a campaign of blood and pillage gained great headway. A battalion of troops was sent from here to capture the "mad" priest but strange to say when the troops arrived on the scene they deserted the government in a body and joined Padre's army. This army is now besieging Fortaleza, the capital of Ceara and a squadron of the navy was rushed to the protection of that city a couple of weeks ago. It is rumored that a big battle will be fought there in the near future. The state of Ceara has also been placed under martial law.

Bitter charges have been made here by the anti-government men as a result of the fiasco in Ceara. They claim that the troops deserted to Padre Cicero at the instigation of Pinheiro Machado, the president of the senate and the real power behind the government. The little I have heard about Pinheiro Machado leads me to believe that he is a great man. His origin was of the humblest and through his own resource and cleverness he rose to his present place of power. He is the man who has held the army factions in line and through them dictates the political policies of the country. His life has been one long struggle and he plays his hand with utter disregard to others. He is a ruthless dictator and it is said that he is largely responsible for the growth of the revolutionary propaganda because he desired to dispose of a number of opponents. The prison list eloquently tells of the success of his plan. But whether he will be able to quench the flame he started is problematical.

As the crisis in Ceara grew acute, the president called a meeting of the military club of Brazil, which is the political organization of the country, in attempt to find a solution to the difficulties. The only result accomplished by this meeting was the open-

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GENERAL DEPORTS TORREON SPANIARDS

Villa Orders 600 to Leave Captured City Without Authority of Carranza

STORY OF THE FIGHT COMES OUT

Velasco and His Troops Begon Evacuation of Torreon First Night of the Battle

TORREON, Mexico, April 6.—Some delay is being experienced in the moving of 600 Spaniards, who were ordered deported by General Pancho Villa, owing to the crowded condition of the railroad between Torreon and Chihuahua.

After Refugees.

Indian runners brought messages last night to General Villa, from Generals Benavides and Hernandez, who are pursuing General Refugio Velasco's federal army and the great band of civilian refugees in its train. It is becoming apparent that the exodus from Torreon began on the night of the evacuation of Gomez Palacio by General Velasco. The federal defense of Gomez Palacio caused Gen. Villa to call upon Generals Benavides and Herrera who were already in possession of the eastern and southern portions of the city of Torreon for reinforcements. The withdrawal of these troops gave Velasco the opening he desired, as the railroads leading to Saltillo and the south were left unprotected.

Many of his soldiers and General Velasco himself also boarded trains and took advantage of the unprotected condition of the railroad and the darkness to leave Torreon that night.

Without Carranza's Sanction.

JUAREZ, Mexico, April 6.—Gen. Pancho Villa's order expelling 600 Spanish residents of Torreon, was issued without the knowledge of Gen. Carranza, or other constitutional government officials here.

While the officials were reticent about the subject, it is believed they approved of Villa's action, and the majority will stand behind him in the matter.

Ready for Monterey.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, April 6.—That Gen. Villa is planning to attack Monterey at once, was the belief expressed at constitutionalist headquarters at Matamoros today, following receipt of orders for the constitutionalist troops there to be ready to entrain within two days for Ramones, twenty miles north of Monterey.

CARROLL CLUB IS HEARD AT NORMAL

John Otten Pleases Students with Reading; Concert Is Well Received

The Carroll College Glee club entertained the students of the normal school this morning with several songs, a number by the quartet and a reading by Mr. John Otten. All of the numbers were enthusiastically received, especially the reading of Mr. Otten, who is a local young man. The Marching Song by Becker, so well sung at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night, was again repeated, and the Winter Song by Bullard was sung. The quartet sang Lucky Jim, and Mr. Otten read from Riley and Ben Kings. Several encores were demanded after every number.

President W. O. Carrier, of Carroll college, was also present and spoke to the students. He delivered a message of such interest to the prospective teachers which was full of optimism and spirit.

P. E. A. Cotton of the Local

normal school has been invited to make the commencement address to the graduating class of the Bos-cobel, Wis., high school on June 5. He has already accepted the invitation as well as one to speak at Hillsboro on some educational topic on April 16.

Mr. James R. Kerr will sing at the Tuesday morning assembly.

On Wednesday night after school the Junior girls' basketball team will play the Senior girls' team to determine which of these two teams will finish second in the class league. The girls of the physical education department have already won the class championship, as they have finished all of their games and have lost none. Following is the standing of the teams:

Won. Lost. Pct.

Physical Education . . . 3 0 1.000
Seniors 1 1 .500
Juniors 1 1 .500
Country School . . . 0 2 .000

The normal students will have a comparatively short spring vacation this year, for they will be given only Thursday and Friday of this week and Monday of next week. Most of the students will go to their homes over Easter Sunday.

COLLIDES WITH AUTO COLLAR BONE BROKEN

George Kolb, 1810 Green Bay street, suffered a broken collarbone when he, on a motorcycle, collided with an automobile on Caledonia street at 5:30 Sunday evening. The auto was going north and Kolb was following. The auto slowed down for a corner and it is presumed that Kolb's speed prevented him doing likewise. He was attended by Dr. F. C. Suiter.

HIGHWAY BOARD FIGHTS FUND CUT

Prepares Statement Opposing Governor's Proposed Cut in Appropriations

ARGUES BENEFIT OF METHOD

Show that Every Dollar Used Goes to Actual Road and Bridge Work

To combat the proposed reduction in the state highway appropriation of \$1,200,000 suggested by Governor McGovern as a means of lowering the tax rate, the state highway commission has issued a circular to all town clerks requesting that it be read at the town meetings tomorrow and be posted in election booths. The circular contains arguments tending to show that no reduction in the road appropriation should be made.

The appeal of the highway commission is the result of the recent letter sent to town clerks by McGovern in which he asked that the chairmen learn the sentiment of the electors on questions as follows:

"Is a cut in highway appropriation favored, and if so, how much? Should the amounts due the several towns, if uncalled for, be reserved for at least three years instead of distributing in other towns and counties as at present? Should the provision through which individuals, by subscribing certain amounts can force local appropriations, be repealed?"

The statement of the Highway commission follows:

"To the electors of the town:

"The governor has submitted to the towns a number of questions in regard to good roads, with the request that the electors consider them and give him the sentiment of each town. We know the voters of this state do not wish to take hasty action that will stop or delay the improvement of public roads.

"There will be many requests for the facts in the case, to aid the electors in an intelligent consideration and fair answers to the governor's questions. For the information of those electors who desire it the following facts are presented:

"1. The state highway tax is levied on all city, village and town property.

"2. Every dollar is used for actual road and bridge construction.

"3. The county highway commission and the state engineers are not paid from the highway taxes, but are paid from the county and state general funds. The state, county and town money is paid out locally for labor and materials.

"4. The increase in state highway tax in January, 1914, was almost exactly one-fourth of the total increase in state taxes.

"5. Money voted for road work by the town in 1912, \$452,000; money voted for road work by the towns in 1913, \$828,000; money voted for road work by the towns in 1914, \$1,550,000.

"State money appropriated for road work in 1914, \$1,200,000; in 1915, \$1,200. The \$1,200,000 appropriated for 1915 will require a tax of forty cents on each \$1,000 valuation.

"6. 1,450 miles of roads and 440 bridges were built in the past two years under the state highway law. About 1,500 miles of road and about 300 bridges will be built this year out of the money collected in taxes last January.

"7. Every year since the state highway law was passed, the votes in the towns have demanded more state aid than the legislature had appropriated, by from \$100,000 to \$450,000.

"8. The state highway commission has no interest in this matter save to build as well and as cheaply as possible the roads and bridges that the people and the legislature direct it to build. If it is the wish of the people that less road work be done, the state highway commission is not opposed to such a reduction, but has not found, outside of a few localities, that such wish exists.

"THE WISCONSIN HIGHWAY COMMISSION."

Dry Elections

The town of Holland and the town of Onalaska will vote on the wet and dry question at tomorrow's election. Sparta in Monroe county will also face this issue at the polls tomorrow.

Aside from two or three towns there will be no opposition on the election of town officers and the election will merely be an endorsement of the nominees. A judicial election will be held throughout the county and the election of the first county board of education will take place tomorrow.

DEFEATED RIVAL SPRINGS RECORD

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., April 6.—Whether the record of Newell Rathburn, who has served seven years here for murder, will defeat his ambition to wed a Virginia heiress, will be determined when a letter, now in the mails, reaches Rathburn's rival, H. Dickinson of Richmond, Va., the rival, wrote prison officials here for Rathburn's record, asserting the convict had won his sweetheart from him. Rathburn chloroformed a tramp, changed clothes with the body and sent it to Mrs. Rathburn.

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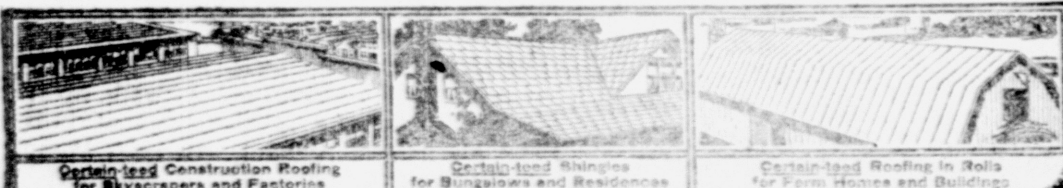
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WOMAN VIOLINIST RECEIVES OVATION

Cordelia Lee believes that her instrument can sing great things in a great way, and she makes and lets it do it according to the mood of the piece. Her tones are rich and firm. They begin with a snap and are incisive and full of vigor to the end. When it is demanded, she is as dominating as a man, and when she must caress the instrument, she reveals the refinement and delicacy of a sensitive woman.

She knows her violin and loves it, and one could almost say that her violin loves her.

One of the numbers she played

STOMACH SUFFERERS! READ THIS

So many stomach sufferers have been benefited by a simple prescription of vegetable oils which cured a Chicago druggist of chronic stomach, liver and intestinal trouble of years' standing that we want you surely to try this remedy. It is known as **Marr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy**. One dose will convince you. It usually gives wonderful relief within 24 hours—even in the most stubborn cases. **Marr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy** is now sold here by Hoescher Bros.

during a recent concert in Seattle was the "Sonnet de Moscou," and she was applauded so generously that a part of it was repeated. The applause throughout her appearance was so unusual for a musical entertainment that it was little short of an ovation—she being recalled again and again with increasing triumphs.

Cordelia Lee will appear at the La Crosse Theater April 16.

Garcia's Method.

Mrs. Maria Vardot Garcia and Mari-brun, the wonderful daughters of Manuel Garcia, who was perhaps the greatest vocal teacher of all time, literally "learned in suffering what they taught in song."

The discipline of the Garcia home was extremely severe. According to Henry T. Finck, who writes in the *Musicalian*, it was said that he used to beat his unfortunate daughters till they screamed.

The neighbors, however, did not confuse methods with madness, and on such occasions they quietly said, "It is only M. Garcia teaching his girls to sing."

"I haven't a friend in the world," complained the dice box. "Everyone gives me the shake."

THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

A FAIR SUFFRAGETTE

BY LOUISE OLIVER

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Beatrice bit absently into a peach without first removing the skin, then, provoked, wiped the fuzz from her lips.

"It's beyond me!" she burst out impatiently.

"What?" inquired Bob, her brother.

"The state federation has written to our suffrage society for more funds. And at the meeting yesterday somebody made a motion that we earn the money ourselves. And now all of us girls have to dig down and get the money some way without any outside help. I never earned a cent in my life."

"You might collect soap coupons—they are redeemable for cash."

Beatrice looked her contempt. "It isn't a laughing matter, Bob."

"Getting money never is. Why do you girls belong to a suffrage society when you don't know how to do anything? If you ever get a ballot the state is going to remove all the laws which compel men to support women."

"We girls have heard that until we are tired. That is exactly the reason why we are doing this. We will show people that we can earn money, and earn it honestly. We've got to scare up \$50 apiece."

Bob whistled. "How?"

"Never mind. By our wits, perhaps."

"Humph!" Bob put on his panama and went to work.

Beatrice finished her toast and went out to the shady front porch to look over the morning papers.

It was then that she saw on the first page of the "Star" that a prize of \$50 was offered to the person who could identify a certain Mr. Blank. He was described as being 5 feet 11 inches high, weight 180 pounds, dark brown hair, gray eyes, clean shaven and about thirty years of age.

"That is a very general description and might fit anybody," Beatrice frowned as she noticed the age. "I might try to go after this wonderful prize man if he were twice as old—but thirty! And the 'Star' says he will be on some of the downtown streets today. No, thanks! There will likely be somewhere between ten and twenty-five thousand men downtown today, and at least one-tenth of that number will fit this description."

On another page were more complete directions for the finding of the mysterious Mr. Blank. Certain words must be used in addressing him. Below there was a rough sketch of the back of the gentleman's head, with the hat he was to wear that day.

Beatrice scrutinized the picture searchingly. There was nothing here to help identify him, either, except that—

Down in her heart something stirred consciously, and a flush dyed her cheeks.

What was there about the blurred newspaper cut of the back of a man's head that made her think of the time, a whole year before, when she visited the Dalzells at Long Beach? Was it because, in a general way, it reminded her of some one whom she had known these? As she looked long and steadily at the picture she thought of the long, happy days and evenings at the summer shore, and David Dalzell, Janet's brother, who had been her almost constant companion.

It had been to David that she had aired her first views on suffrage, having become a convert to the cause shortly before her visit. He had outwardly sympathized with her, even when she had gone still further and declared that she would never marry.

"It is only silly, weak school girls who think of love and marriage nowadays," she had said. "Real women are finding out that they are needed for better and higher things. I am going to devote my life to the emancipation of my sex."

She had come back home with a strange, dull ache in her heart that was only partly soothed by the remembrance of the look in David's eyes when she said "Good-bye."

The newspaper fell at her feet. She started. The day dream was over.

And now for a way to earn that money! She bit her lip. There was not a way in the world she could think of. She'd better get her hat and parasol and talk it over with one of the girls.

The morning was warm, and her walk taking her through the park, she kept to the shady coolness of the bypaths. There was magic in the air today, at least so it seemed to Beatrice. She stopped beside the little lake and watched some children with their nursemaids sailing little boats. She spoke to them, praising their skill and pretty toys. Instantly they were friends, with the unconventional cordiality of childhood. One little plump girlie seized one of her hands and reached up on tiptoe for a kiss.

The yellow and red of tulips, the blue of the sky, bushes exquisite with japonica, lilacs and snowballs, and tiny swarming rosebuds, the trilling of birds everywhere, proclaimed the wonder of spring.

She gave herself up to the beauty of it all. There was no hurry for her errand now. Suffrage could wait! After all, somehow, the idea and the morning didn't seem to fit. What did she care for politics in weather like this? Of course she would have to get the money. She had pledged herself to do so. But it could wait a while, too.

She turned aside into a shady little circle of trees where there was

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK,
March 30, 1914.

To the Electors of La Crosse County:

Notice is hereby given that a general election in the several towns, wards, villages and election precincts in the county of La Crosse on the seventh day of April, A. D. 1914, at which the officers named below are to be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the titles of the office and under the appropriate designation, each in its proper column in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters:

(A) Candidates for the County Board of Education may be voted only in the County Board of Education district, which includes the entire county of La Crosse, exclusive of that portion included within any city having a board of education, a superintendent of schools or other board or officer vested with power to examine and license teachers and supervise and manage the schools therein. The electors of such cities have no vote in the election of the County Board of Education. Every person residing within the County Board of Education district, excluding the above cities, who is qualified to vote at elections pertaining to school matters may vote at elections for members of the County Board of Education.

(B) Each voter may vote for five (5) and shall not vote for more than five candidates for the County Board of Education. The voter may vote for the candidates nominated by marking his ballot with a cross or mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote, or may vote for any other person or persons by inserting or writing in the ballot the names or name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote in the blank spaces at the bottom of the ballot.

(C) All qualified male electors residing in the County of La Crosse are entitled to vote for candidates for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court.

(D) A voter upon entering the polling place and giving his or her name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk, which must have indorsed thereon the name of both ballot clerks and no other ballot can be used. Upon receiving his ballot, the voter must retire to a booth or compartment and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voter as to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for.

(E) Each voter may vote for one and shall not vote for more than one candidate for the Justice of the Supreme Court. The voter may vote for such one of the candidates nominated by marking his ballot with a cross or mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote, or he may vote for any other person by inserting or writing in the ballot the name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote in the blank space at the bottom of the ballot.

(F) The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot be spoiled, it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its stead, but not more than three in all shall be issued to any one voter. Five minutes' time is allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial ballot or memorandum to assist the voter in marking his ballots can be taken into the booth, and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by a voter.

(G) After it is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the printed endorsements and signatures of the ballot clerks on the outside may be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth or compartment, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, hand him his ballot to be placed in the box, and pass out of the polling place.

(H) A voter, who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read, or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to mark his ballot, can have assistance of one or two election officers in marking same, to be chosen by the voter; and if he declares that he is totally blind, he may be assisted by any person chosen by him from among the legal voters of the county. The presiding officer may administer an oath in his discretion, as such person's disability.

(I) The following is a facsimile of the official ballot:

SAMPLE BALLOT FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mark with a cross (X) in the square ☐ at the right of the names of the five candidates for whom you desire to vote, if they be there, or write any name that you wish to vote for in the proper place.

INDIVIDUAL NOMINATIONS

VOTE FOR FIVE

N. C. BERG,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
FRANK I. BOLLES,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
J. M. HALDERSON,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
S. PETER MARKLE,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
L. C. MCCLINTOCK,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
OLIVER NEEDHAM,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
HENRY T. RICHMOND,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. F. WHITBECK,	A Nonpartisan	<input type="checkbox"/>

For County Board of
Education

SAMPLE BALLOT FOR JUDICIAL ELECTION

Mark with a cross (X) in the square ☐ at the right of the name of the candidate for whom you desire to vote, if it be there, or write any name that you wish to vote for in the proper place.

INDIVIDUAL NOMINATION

VOTE FOR ONE

For Justice of the Supreme
Court

JAMES C. KERWIN, A Nonpartisan Judiciary	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Given under my hand and seal this 26th day of March, 1914.

BERT A. JOLIVETTE,
County Clerk.

a bench in view. The turn of the path disclosed a second bench heretofore hidden by the trees, and on the bench, reading, was a man. His back was toward her.

She stopped! His head and shoulders, hat and all, as they appeared over the back of the bench, were identical with the picture she had seen in the paper. She was absolutely sure of her man!

She had brought the paper along, thinking it might offer some suggestions in the proposed conference with her fellow club woman. She hastily read over the correct words, and got her courage up to the point of addressing a stranger, shutting her eyes tight.

"Excuse me, but are you the illusive Mr. Blank referred to in the 'Morning Star'?" It was over! She opened her eyes to see if the skies had fallen, and found herself gazing

into the startled features of David Dalzell!

"Beatrice!"

"Oh, David, I've made a dreadfully stupid mistake."

Her confusion was evident by the flaming red of her cheeks. What would he think of her, going around alone, speaking to strangers! He would never understand that she was doing it from principle. That would be a paradox hard to believe.

To her surprise, he smiled and held out his hand. "There isn't any

mistake, Beatrice. I am the illusive Mr. Blank, and you are entitled to the prize. I thought I was safe for a few minutes," he laughed. "I just came in here to keep from having a sunstroke. I've been walking all morning."

Then, noticing her evident surprise, he added, hastily: "I've bought the 'Star,' and I'm doing this on a wager. It's been a circus today, but I'm glad it's over. How about you?"

"I" explained Beatrice, hastily, "am doing this because I have to earn fifty dollars for our suffrage association."

"Still suffrage? And still opposed to love and marriage?" He drew near and looked anxiously into her face. "I had hoped differently."

Beatrice looked out over the little lake in which the blue sky was reflected and at the wonderful riot of flowers. In the distance she heard

the voices of the children, and she thought of the little girl who had kissed her.

Then she turned, the glory of spring reflected in her face. "No, David. I'm renouncing it all this very minute."

What Society Is.

"What," asks a wit—"what is society, after all, but a mixture of miseries and miseries?"

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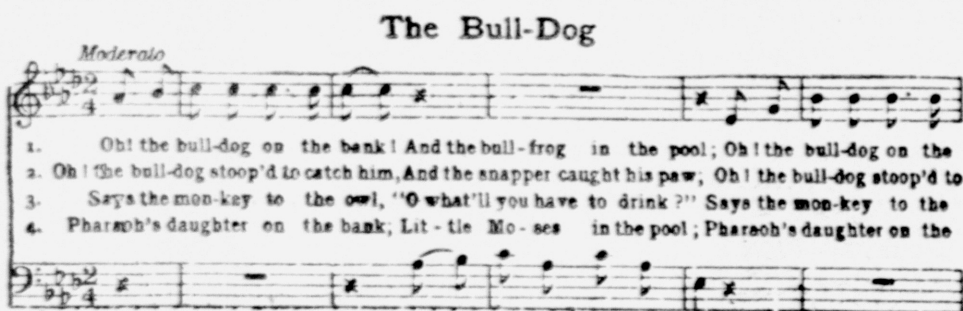
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POSTPONE REVOLT FOR THE CARNIVAL

(Continued from Page 1)

ing of the breach between the factions, and martial law, which means a substitution of the army for the civil authorities, was the ruling faction's last resource.

Government Stable
The ultra-conservative business men here are bawling the whole affair and predict that development of this country has been set back several years. They claim that foreign capital will be reluctant to invest in a country where the government is unstable. But it seems to me, disinterested, that the government handled the situation admirably. It is true that graft and pillage has been the sole purpose of the ring that has the government in hand, but I do not see how the charge of instability can be made against them. The revolution, with the exception of Padre Cicero and his followers in the far off state of Ceara, is in prison and will stay there or be deported until there is no more talk of war.

A new president was elected the 1st of March, Senior Gomez Braz, and his inauguration will take place next November. He is said to be an honest, if not strong, man and it is believed that his advent to office will be followed by a restoration of peace and harmony and better financial and business conditions. Viva Brazil!

The first few days of the martial law the foreign colony here was, I must confess, a bit nervous because there were many stories afloat regarding the brigandish propensities of the soldiers in the time of army rule, but everything has been orderly and peaceful. It is true that there has been an unusual parading of troops, and at night the restless searchlights of the ships and forts sweep the corners and streets of the city and the surrounding hills from dusk to dawn and one feels that vigilant eyes are behind those lights. But I believe that no one without political convictions has been disturbed. And in the remote possibility that the revolution has not been stamped out and shooting begins there are several foreign warships in the harbor to offer protection to such of us as owe no allegiance to the green flag of Brazil. And if the shooting does begin, believe me there will be one U. S. citizen at least who will make tracks to these ships. I would much prefer to be protected than investigated as has happened to several estimable citizens of the United States and other countries in Mexico.

Tragic Comedy

But about the carnival. It was the greatest comedy I have ever seen—and the greatest tragedy. For three or four months they prepared for the event and when it finally arrived on February 22, the people were excited to a state bordering on insanity. I declare, the first day of the carnival I thought all Brazil had gone crazy but the fever was contagious and I became as crazy as any of them. The main stage of the carnival was on the Avenida Central and its tributary streets and I believe that less than five or six hundred thousand people surged through the Avenida each of the three days and nights. No words can describe this throng and its doings. Dressed in mask and domino and costumes of too great a variety to list, singing, dancing, parading, flirting and playing with the abandon only attainable by a Latin savage, it was one continual riot of frenzied fun and folly. "Rainbow Rio" in the role of clown and Pierrot! Skies webbed with the tracery of fireworks! Streets a living flood of maddened people! Balconies blazing with red and green fire and festooned with massed colored streamers! A clamor of sound, throbbed drums, blaring bugles, honk of horns, music of bands, laughter, shouts, songs of dancing people, the seductive clut of castanets, crash of cymbals! It fairly beat into one's brain. Is it any wonder that the insanity of it was contagious.

Confetti Battles

It began with a parade of automobiles and carriages that in four lines slowly wended the length of the Avenida and return. These carriages and autos were filled to overflowing with gaily costumed maskers, thousands of them. They fought furious battles with those in the carriages ahead and behind them, with confetti and serpentinas. The serpentinas are rolls of colored paper that can be shot out over the crowd for a great distance. Soon the line of carriages was joined together with masses of the rainbow serpentinas and huge festoons of the same decorations hung down from the balconies where they had been thrown and returned. The trees in the center of the great avenue blossomed in clusters of these streamers and the masses of it piled up in the street several feet deep. Between the lines of carriages and autos crowds of people surged on foot joining the battles of confetti and with lances of perfume. The lances of perfume are cylinders of perfume that spray on the same principal of a soda syphon and where the thin stream strikes the skin the evaporation is so rapid that it nearly freezes. Furious battles were fought with lances of perfume between couples, between groups of friends and between regular battalions of people.

In the evening the streets were cleared to make room for the three big formal parades which were offered by three great clubs competing for a prize offered by the government and the municipality. These parades were by far the most gorgeous spectacles I have ever seen. Triumphal parades of the Roman Emperors must have been something like these. I do not believe their equal could be found in the world.

Allegorical Floats

Floats, built at prodigious expense, representing allegory, fairy

BEAUTY FIGURES IN SENSATIONAL SUIT



Mrs. Robert Marsden Shaw.

Mrs. Robert Marsden Shaw is the eighteen-year-old bride of Robert Marsden Shaw, a Wall street broker, for the alienation of whose affections her husband has had Richard S. Darling, wealthy capitalist, arrested pending a \$50,000 suit. According to Mr. Shaw, Darling is an habitual housebreaker, who took advantage of Mrs. Shaw's youth.

scene and caricatures of the events of the day, battalions of mounted police and mounted bands, marching clubs, and mobs of frolicking clowns formed these parades. The floats were real works of art and beautiful beyond description. One represented a branch of a rose tree. It was more than three hundred feet long. Built on a giant scale, the stem of the branch was more than five feet in diameter and each rose leaf as large as a tent. The cluster of a dozen or so roses were built so that as the huge float rolled along the flowers slowly opened and closed. As each flower burst into bloom a beautiful woman was revealed nestling in its heart. Another float represented a giant so large that his head was nearly on a level with the second stories of the buildings along the way. The giant was squatting on his knees and he held his arms outstretched. From his hands hung a swing in which another beautiful girl swayed back and forth. Then came another great giant who had found a sea shell, which he held at arm's length to peer into his heart. As he turned the shell curiously about a girl waited kisses to the crowd from his center. Castles inhabited by giants and fairies, great revolving swings, elaborate mechanical devices, beautiful floral decorations, and the caricature figures were some of the other floats in the parade. One represented the financial crisis, a huge dragon with a human head swallowing business men, one the revolution dressed as a giant priest, one Roosevelt's visit to South America, and others take-offs on local celebrities.

In the intervals between the great floats were battalions of troops, mounted bands and marching clubs. These clubs often consisted of a regiment of people uniformed in gay costumes, with bugle brigade that made shrill music to the throb of a hundred or more drums. All of the music in this country is in a minor strain and there is a strange time and throb to the way they play drums. As the drummers would pass, the crowd would sway and dance to the music and often large crowds would catch up some song and roar their joy to the beat of the drums. It required an hour or more for each of the three parades to pass a given point and as they were marching the crush of people became so great that one could not move. More than once I thought my ribs could not stand the strain. The sea of faces glowing in the red fire burning on the floats and balconies stretched away as far as I could see and it was one solid mass.

Battles Rage

After the parades the streets were given over to the people and the battles of confetti and perfume again began and the dancing and singing kept increasing in pace until they could dance and sing no more. The parades were beautiful but the best fun and spirit of the carnival was in the throngs and crowds of people on the streets. Adventure was thrust upon one and the excitement of the game never failed for one moment.

I attended the carnival in the company of four or five Portuguese friends and we staid together the entire time. More than once as we were picking our way through the crowds, masked and dominated, men and women would join our party and leave again as the whim seized them. The cafes and restaurants and all places of amusement were crowded to capacity with maskers. We went one night to the Palace club where the crowds were dancing the tango and maxixe. You know the tango came from Argentine and the maxixe from Brazil and to see these people dance these dances is a revelation of grace and passion. I have no doubt they evolve many figures here that are unknown to the fanciest tangoists in the states and there are some of them that but few except those of South American blood could hope to attain.

She Spoke Slang

I had one adventure here at the Palace theater which will serve to illustrate the many I had during the carnival, and which I will describe for Fritz Wenzel's benefit. I was standing in the crowd watching the dancers when a nice little lady in mask and domino came up and asked me in Spanish to teach her to dance the tango. I told her that I regretted very much that I did not know how. "What," she said, "an American, and can't dance the tango. I have heard that all the United States has gone crazy about the

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tango." I told her that the only foolish dance I had been induced to learn was the bear dance and if she cared for a whirl of that I was hers to command. So we bear danced, much to the amusement of the crowd, and Spanish was the medium of our conversation—you can imagine how fluent it was on my part. We danced two or three dances and my friends decided to go to some other club, so I regretfully bade the little lady adieu. Did I mention that I could not tell what she looked like on account of her mask except that she deucedly pretty as to eyes and mouth? Well, I said good-bye, imagine my surprise when she said in perfectly good American slang, "By-by, kid. Your dancing is pretty decent, but your Spanish is punk!" She was lost in the crowd before I could catch her. An American in mask!

No one thought of going home any of the nights of the carnival until he could not walk and enjoy it any more. Thousands of them never went home at all. They slept just where they dropped. It was a comical sight to see a doorway filled with sleeping maskers, with their masks slipping around to the back of their heads. Hundreds slept in groups on the boulevards and in the parks and many found comfortable repose in the gutters, and on the sidewalks. They were not drunk with wine or liquors, they were simply intoxicated with excitement and as they awoke they began all over again.

Brazil Composite Headache

The dawn after the last night found the once pretty dominos torn and soiled and their wearers physically exhausted, penniless and disgusted. The composite headache of Brazil on the morning of February 25, was perhaps the greatest event of the entire carnival.

How a people can dance and sing on the edge of a volcano, when their country is facing financial ruin, when bloody revolution is a possibility of the morrow, when suicide, fire and bankruptcy fill the columns of their newspapers, when they are out of work and in debt, when they are hungry and miserable, is more than I can comprehend.

Children hardly able to toddle, aged men and women leaning on trembling canes, youth and middle age, wealth and poverty, well and ill, they all joined in, forgetting yesterday and tomorrow, spending their last cent on today. It was the greatest national folly ever accomplished in modern times, for every city, town and village of Brazil held its carnival, although the one in Rio was the greatest.

I saw men and women in mask and domino which they had purchased with the savings of a year, spending their few remaining mite on perfume and confetti, living on meager sandwiches and recklessly laughing their cares away. They laughed and sang when they were hungry and I could not help thinking that a laugh coming from an empty stomach was like the laugh of a dying man. Such a people! Overgrown children!

Cost Millions

There were no less than 500,000 people on the Avenida alone each day. More than half of these were squandering lances of perfume. A lance of perfume costs about sixty-five cents and lasts an hour at the most. The perfume alone must have cost a stupendous sum. And the other follies surely made the total cost run up into several millions of dollars. Of course some benefited, the sellers of perfume, confetti and costumes and those who made them, the cafes, the theaters, clubs and automobile drivers. Many people benefited, but the profit came from the pockets of the whole people and the vast majority of them could not afford it. But they had their fun and they would not be denied. The very suggestion that the carnival be postponed until after the financial crisis raised a storm of protest that could not be withstood. They were happy but at a pitiful price.

The Illinois Manufacturing association men, who have been junketing about South America, were here last week and right royally entertained by the business men of this city. It is expected that their trip to these countries will do much toward knitting closer the friendly trade ties between Latin and Anglo-Saxon America.

I hope that this finds you all well and prosperous as I leave Roy Peterson and myself, the two La Crosse South Americans. Kindly give my regards to such of my La Crosse friends as you may meet and to Mrs. Brayton and the young Braytons. Trusting that I may hear from you soon, I remain, Your friend,

BOB.

The Co-eds.

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IN CIRCUIT COURT.

State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County.
Adolph Sonenberg vs. Wilhelmina Ottens.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a judgment rendered in the Circuit Court in the above entitled action in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendant, and the execution issued thereon, I will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder at public auction at the West front door of the Court House in the City of La Crosse, County of La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1914, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title and interest which said Wilhelmina Ottens had on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1911, or at any time thereafter in and to the following described real estate lying and being in La Crosse County, Wisconsin, to-wit: Lot number 1 of block 7 of the Southeastern addition to the City of La Crosse; lots number 13 and 14 of block 2 of Hyde & Cargill's addition to La Crosse, according to the recorded plats of such additions on record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for La Crosse County, Wis. Also lands bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest corner of Charles and Island Streets in the City of La Crosse; thence South 100 feet to the place of beginning; thence South 100 feet; thence North 140 feet to an alley; thence North 100 feet; thence East 140 feet to the place of beginning. Dated March 21, 1914.

JOHN A. WEBER,
Sheriff in and for La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

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TUG SAVES FOUR

RACINE, Wis., April 6.—After tossing about at the mercy of the waves in a terrific gale on Lake Michigan in a small gasoline boat for hours, Walter Wurtzberger, Fred Noles, Fred Sass and H. Blish, young Racine business men were saved by the fishing tug Annie. The gasoline gave out and on account of the rough water the launch drifted far out.

WANT CITY MARKET

OSHKOSH, Wis., April 6.—The Oshkosh City club, an organization of prominent and influential citizens, is making an effort to establish a city market. About 150 families have been pledged to support the market. The idea is to devote one of the city streets for the use of farmers and marketmen and sell from wagons.

A woman will do a lot of cheeky things to improve her complexion.

MOVIE MEN TO MEET

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By C. A. Voight

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FOR SALE—One good No. 9 cook stove. 929 King. New phone 704-A. 4 3 6

FOR SALE—One coke and one hard coal stove; also household goods at a bargain. 407 N. Fourth. 4 3 6

FOR SALE—A good practice violin, cheap if taken at once. Call at 415 South Fifth. Ask for Mr. Foster. 4 3 7

FOR SALE—Good residence or investment property, cheap. Inquire 320 North Eighth. 4 3 15

FOR SALE—Five room brick cottage with bath, 1301 Market street. Also house 1313 Madison St. Inquire 1729 Jackson street. 4 3 6

FOR SALE—Confectionery store. Sewell fixtures and soda fountain. Good downtown location. Easy payment. Address O. K., Tribune. 4 3 9

FOR SALE—Good 6 ton wagon scale. Inquire O. C. Walter, 412 N. Third. 4 2 8

FOR SALE OR RENT—Meat market. Good location. Address "Market" care of Tribune. 4 2 8

FOR SALE—Coal stove, small cook stove, bed, springs and mattress. 1109 Main street. 3 31 6

FOR SALE—Ice box and coal heater in good condition. 815 South Fourth. 3 31 6

FOR SALE—Mahogany player piano good as new. Bargain. 206 South Seventh street. 3 31 4 6

FOR SALE—House, partly modern, on large lot. 1216 Pine. 3 28 6

FOR SALE—Cheap, old brick cheese. Henry Anderregg, 625 S. Eighth. Both phones. 3 27 6

FOR SALE—Modern house, 1701 Main. 3 30 4 6

FOR SALE—Trap, suitable for small horse or pony. 821 State street. 3 30 6

FOR SALE—Corner house and large barn on Sixteenth and Market. 6 30 4 11

FOR SALE—Large new oak sideboard, book case, table. 320 South Eighth street. 3 30 6

FOR SALE—Six room house, 826 South Tenth street. Pump and gas. Reasonable. Inquire 420 Market. 4 6 6

FOR SALE—Four room house, 1014 Denton. Gas and water in house. Reasonable. Inquire 420 Market. 4 6 6

FOR SALE—Two cook stoves, gas heater, water tank, in good condition. 127 South Seventh. 3 30 6

FOR SALE—Property at 512 Oakland street. Inquire of F. Rasmann, Beaver Dam, Wis. 3 30 4 29

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap; and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 6

FOR SALE—Fine 23 foot motor boat. Inquire Marvin & Dubracks. 3 24 6

FOR SALE—Five room house on 1229 Denton street. Price \$950. Inquire 420 Market street. 3 17 6

FIRST CLASS BOILER, \$125. Pulleys. H. N. Lain, 1322 South 6th. 3 11 6

FOR SALE—Three used autos, from \$175 up. A large sale, cheap. Dietz Auto Garage. 3 19 6

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice, large, light of- fice with city heat, over 307-309 Main street. Inquire Room 3 B. Batavian Bank building. 3 24 8

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms on ground floor for light housekeeping. 1002-R new phone. 315 North Tenth street. 4 6 6

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house, 1404 Market. Inquire at 224 South Seventh. 4 6 6

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms on Charles street, upstairs. New phone 545-A. 4 6 7

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 714 Cass. 4 6 6

FOR RENT—After May 1, furnished flat in the Doerflinger apartments. New phone 1121-M. Mrs. J. C. Oeschger, 513 Cass. 4 6 11

FOR RENT—Four rooms and two rooms. 1726 Ferry. New phone 1191-M. 4 3 6

TWO MODERN COTTAGES—One for rent, one for sale. New phone 1565-M. 4 3 6

FOR RENT—One or two unfurnished rooms. 123 North Seventh. 4 4 7

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 6

FOR RENT—21 acre farm at West La Crosse. Good crop. Inquire 2207 Berlin. 4 6 18

FOR RENT—Single or suite of rooms by April 9. Very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth, upstairs. 4 4 6

FOR RENT—House, modern except furnace. New phone 741-A. 4 4 7

FOR RENT—Four furnished rooms for light housekeeping, two blocks from North side Burlington depot; gas and electric light. Inquire Marvin & Dubracks. 4 4 6

FOR RENT—Two large furnished rooms in modern house, ready April 15. Inquire 425 North Eighth. New phone 677-M. 4 4 10

FOR RENT—Three or four furnished rooms, modern for housekeeping. 215 North Seventh. New phone 854-R. 4 4 10

FOR RENT—Five room house, fine location. Inquire 320 North Eighth. 4 3 6

FOR RENT OR SALE—20 acres land, block from city limits, State Road. Inquire old phone 4061. 4 2 8

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 924 Main. 4 1 6

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, modern except heat. Inquire 1514 Vine. 3 28 6

STORE FOR RENT—302 South Fourth. Inquire 312 South Fourth. 3 21 4 6

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 119 South Seventh. 3 14 21

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern, close in. You must see these rooms. Inquire 209 Linker building. New phone 979. 2 9 6

MISCELLANEOUS

CARPENTER REPAIRING—Have your screens repaired before rush; also painting done at the right price. E. A. Evanson, 1202 George street. Old phone 6022. 4 6 5 5

CA. FLINER SHOP—625 Main. 9 26 6

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H. care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

WANTED TO RENT—Six or seven room house by April 26, with light, water and gas. Reliable tenants. Reference if required. Old phone 5684. 4 2 6

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED, A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1501-C. 3 31 6

FREE MAP of Arkansas and land list. Leslie Land Co., Leslie, Arkansas. 4 4 4

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five room cottage. Can give good references. Address C. G., care of Tribune. 4 3 6

FOR SIGNS call Fitzgerald, 316 So. Third street. Phone 882-A. 4 3 9

I WILL TRADE my 80 acre farm, good buildings thereon, all live stock, machinery and crop goes with it. Will have small house in La Crosse for it. May be debt on owner. Frank Hoch, New Lisbon, Wis. 4 3 8

WANTED TO RENT—About seven room modern house in good location. P. J. Stone, La Crosse Garment Co. 4 4 7

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 4 5 3

NOTICE—Have your painting and paper hanging done now before the rush. Prices reasonable and first class work guaranteed. Call or address Geo. Freeman, 629 La Crosse street. Old phone 3741. 4 1 6

WANTED—Good homes for 28 babies from 2 to 6 months old. Apply to Dr. J. F. Brown, Supt. State Public School, Sparta, Wis. 4 3 8

UP-TO-DATE SHOE REPAIRING—J. Jensen, 311 Main St. Men's best soles, 65c; rubber heels, 35c. Repairing while you wait. 4 1 30

NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Prock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

PARTIES hauling ashes and other material suitable for filling from east of Twelfth street can find dumping ground at 322 South 20th street. Good road and easy to reach. 3 27 6

DRAYING of ashes and rubbish, etc. Poenling Bros., new phone 445-C; old phone 6654. 3 7 4 6

TRY QUINN'S new restaurant, 122 North Third street. Regular dinne. 20c. 5 3 6

LOST

LOST—Locket, initial R, between Sixth and Main and Star theater. Return to Pitzer's, 201 State. Liberal reward. 4 6 8

LOST—On Tenth or Eleventh street near King, three clamps and other parts belonging to roller skate. Return to Billy Burgess, 137 South Eleventh street, or Tribune office. 3 25 6

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 6

LOST—Fox hound, black and tan, scar on hind leg. Reward. Notify Alex Johnson, West Salem, Wis. 4 2 7

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 323 South Fourth street. 2 13 6

FUNERAL DIRECTORS—MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 20 Main. Phones 286 Open day and night.

FOUND

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Poultry Department



EGGS from prize winning Silver Campines. Frank G. Roth, 1220 Market street. 4 1 6

ROSE COMB BROWN LEGHORN eggs for hatching, \$2.50 per 50, \$4.00 per 100 eggs. John Schriver, 400 South Third street. 4 1 6

BARRIED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, \$1.00 for 15; \$4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 6

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs, from prize winning stock, \$1.00 per 13. 1014 Pine. 3 24 4 13

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 6

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 6

LOANS on furniture and real estate. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 5 6

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Stoves and Furniture

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street. Telephone 1581-M. 3 2 6

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, April 3.—Hogs—Receipts 11,000; market strong; 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers \$8.50 to \$8.90; good heavy \$8.50 to \$8.80; rough heavy \$8.40 to \$8.50; light \$8.65 to \$8.90; pigs \$7.50 to \$8.75.

Cattle—Receipts 1,000; market strong; heaves \$6.90 to \$9.50; cows and heifers \$3.65 to \$8.40; stockers and feeders \$5.50 to \$7.90; Texans \$7.20 to \$8.20; calves \$6.75 to \$10.00.

Sheep—Receipts 9,000; market steady to strong; native \$3.40 to \$6.90; western \$5.40 to \$6.90; lambs \$7.35 to \$8.25; western \$7.40 to \$8.40.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, March 27.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; market dull; 5c lower; mixed and butchers \$8.40 to \$8.70; good heavy \$8.40 to \$8.67; rough heavy \$8.25 to \$8.40; light \$8.15 to \$8.67; pigs \$7.25 to \$8.60.

Cattle—Receipts 2,000; market slower; steady; heaves \$7.00 to \$9.60; cows and heifers \$3.70 to \$8.50; stockers and feeders \$5.00 to \$8.10; Texans \$7.25 to \$

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SPORT NEWS

PLAYERS READY FOR CONFERENCE SEASON

Badgers Will Play Opener with Indiana at Madison April 23; Planning Short Tour

MADISON, Wis., April 6.—April 23—Indiana at Madison.
May 1—Purdue at Lafayette.
May 2—Indiana at Bloomington.
May 8—Northwestern at Madison.
May 9—Illinois at Madison.
May 12—Minnesota at Minneapolis.
May 16—Chicago at Chicago.
May 19—Chicago at Madison.
May 21—Purdue at Madison.
May 26—Illinois at Urbana.
May 27—Northwestern at Evanston.

With the opening of the 1914 conference baseball season less than three weeks distant, Coach "Slim" Lewis is gradually rounding out a Badger nine which he will enter in the Big Nine race in the attempt to recapture the championship bunting won in 1912. Prospects for a winning combination have been strengthened since outdoor practice began last week, the varsity candidates showing up in unusually clever form, and the rooters who have watched the work of the players from the sidelines of the lower campus believe Lewis has uncovered some real stars during indoor practice in the annex.

The question of a short spring training trip during the Easter vacation from Thursday until Monday of this week has not yet been definitely settled but will be brought up before the faculty at their meeting this afternoon for consideration. In case the faculty decides to allow the trip, Coach Lewis will lead his players on a short tour which will probably include two practice games with Notre Dame university on Thursday and Friday and with the fast Armour Square aggregation, a Chicago team, on Saturday. Unless a game can be secured Monday, the varsity will return in time for home practice the remainder of the vacation.

The athletic department is busy at present arranging some of the preliminary home practice games to be staged the week before the opening contest with Indiana here on April 23. It is likely that two games with Watertown Normal, one here and the other there, will be secured, as well as two others with Northwestern college and Carroll college as possible opponents.

MICHIGAN TRACK MEN START WORK
ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 6.—In preparation for the grind of their outdoor season, Michigan's varsity track athletes will start their nine weeks of hard drilling during the coming week. Trainer Farrell has announced that the training table for the big fellows would be started on Tuesday and that every athlete who can should stay in Ann Arbor during the spring vacation to attend the daily practice sessions.

Farrell has three weeks to prepare his men for the all-important Pennsylvania relay games on Franklin field at Philadelphia, and from now until April 25th the Wolverine athletes will be driven at top speed in preparation for the events. Michigan is scheduled to enter relay quartets in three of the races, but the present plans of Farrell call for a two-mile squad only.

COULON TRAINING
CHICAGO, April 6.—Johnny Coulon, bantamweight champion, today started training for his mill with Kid Williams of Baltimore at the Vernon Arena on the Pacific coast on June 9. Harry Forbes is Coulon's sparring partner.

BLUES WIN ON WALK
NEW ORLEANS, April 6.—The Chicago Blues used the New Orleans Eddys, a semi-pro outfit, as a medium for running up scores today in a second engagement. Tinker's men defeated the Eddys 13 to 0 yesterday.

BASEBALL BATTLE OPENS IN COURT

Action to Prevent Jumper Playing with Majors Is Up; Heads I Win, Tails You Lose—Tinker

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 6.—Decision as to the winner in the first open contest between the new Federal Baseball league and organized baseball as represented by the National league now is up to the umpire, Judge Clarence W. Sessions of the United States district court for western Michigan.

Arguments of counsel in the case brought by the management of the Chicago Federal league to enjoin William J. Killifer, Jr., from continuing in the service of the Philadelphia National league club or any other than the Chicago Federal league organization were completed late on Saturday, and the judge took the case under advisement. He announced he would not render a decision before next Tuesday, and possibly not for a week or ten days.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 6.—Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago Federal league team, said on Saturday that the Federal league could not lose by any decision which the United States court at Grand Rapids may make in the Killifer case.

"If our contracts hold good," said Tinker, "Pitchers Blanding and Kahler of the Cleveland club and several other players must return to our organization."

"Should the decision be adverse baseball contracts will be illegal, thus enabling us to offer inducements to major league stars. We can't lose, no matter what the decision of the court."

CUB MACHINE NOT IN WORKING ORDER

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 6.—Conservative Hank O'Day is up a tree as to what to do concerning the arrangement of his cub machine. The lineup he has been using since the club departed from Tampa has not come up to expectations, and since arriving here he has been contemplating making a change, but hesitates to do it because he fears it will weaken the team. But he has an idea that Tommy Leach would look better in center field than at third base. Any plan involving a switch falls through, however, when he looks around for a shortstop to use should Heinie Zimmerman be sent back to the far station.

It has not been O'Day's custom this spring to say much of anything about his club, its prospects or developments, but it was learned from another source that Leach's work has not come exactly up to the notch required in spite of the excellent fielding he has been doing at third base. It is not his fielding that is unsatisfactory, but his throwing. It is believed his whip is not quite sturdy enough to handle slow grounders and bunts with fast men going to first.

CANTILLON OFFERED \$105,000 BY FEDS

MINNEAPOLIS, April 6.—That Joe Cantillon, manager of the Minneapolis Millers, was offered \$105,000 in real money to manage the Brooklyn Federal league team for seven years, is the story baseball writers traveling with the Millers wired here today.

The Ward brothers are said to have sent emissaries to Cantillon's winter home at Hickman, Texas, and to have repeated the offer while the Millers were training at St. Joseph, Mo. Cantillon was quoted as saying that he gave the offer serious consideration but decided to pass it up.

DOGGERS LICKED
BALTIMORE, Md., April 6.—The Brooklyn Dodgers will try again with the Orioles this afternoon. Babe Ruth trimmed them 10 to 6 to make a Sunday holiday. For four innings Ruth, a schoolboy, held the Dodgers hitless.

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FANATICAL FANCIES

Among the well known battlers who are after the local promoters for bouts is Grover Hayes, crack lightweight of the Pacific coast, and challenger for the crown held by Willie Ritchie. Hayes wants to put on a windup here as soon as may be, and he expresses a fine carelessness—or his manager, Willard Stuart, does—concerning the identity of the man he meets. They all look of one size to Grover, so his handler declares. Seriously, however, Hayes is a boy with an enviable record. He has met several of the top notchers, and while he has won no clear-cut victories, neither has he been knocked out. He has a newspaper decision over Freddy Welsh, champion of England, whom he has met in two bouts.

Joe Tinker has picked southpaws for his entire Chifed outfield. All of 'em are left fielders. Eh, what!

Clear blue sky and balmy air yesterday morning brought out the season's largest delegation to the La Crosse Gun Club grounds for the weekly clay pigeon shoot. Interest in trap shooting is rapidly growing in the city, and by the time the Gun Club gets ready to pull off its tournament events, it is probable that the list of entries will look like a directory of the town's hunters.

Normal school and High school baseball men ought to get into condition like that of big leaguers if this weather keeps up. Take yesterday for instance—clear, cloudy, rain and snow. Regular training camp weather.

"Keep the dog factory working over time. Present supply not equal to the demand," western unions Mrs. Estelle R. Dell of this city to her husband, Dr. Harry Dell, today from St. Paul. Mrs. Dell has been showing the product of the Dell cocker kennels in the saintly city show, and from the awards she got the La Crosse spaniels had all the class there was in the show. "Star of Bethlehem" took first in the dogs' winners' class. "Kitty Hay" took first in females winners' class; "Woodrow" was reserve champion; and the kennels got second for best brace of sporting dogs in show and medals for best male and best female cockers on exhibition. Mrs.

Dell has sold three of the dogs; will exhibit the animals at the St. neapolis show starting Wednesday.

AVERSE TO COMPROMISE

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 6.—Toledo city council probably will not assent to a compromise to settle the threatened street car fare war, it was stated today. The company proposed to operation of its lines under city control for one year, charging five cents for regular fares and selling tickets for fifteen cents in return for a 25 year franchise.

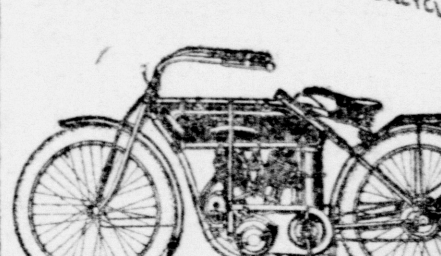
HONEYMOON ON YACHT

NEW YORK, April 6.—A \$150,000 worth of improvements added, the Astor yacht Noma was ported to be about ready for use its owner, Vincent Astor. It is reported that young Astor and his bride Helen Dinsmore Huntington, cruise to the Mediterranean for their honeymoon.

CHAMPS DEFEATED

NEWARK, N. J., April 6.—Duane, one of Connie Mack's kid brothers, got his here from the International league champions in Sunday game. Three runs in the ninth put it 4 to 3 with the world champion on the short end.

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With The Trap Shooters

Automobiles and vehicles parked in the rear of the firing line and many visitors intermingling with the large field of shooters, made the trap grounds of the La Crosse Gun Club look like a vast picnic yesterday morning. Amateur high gun honors went to J. Bartl with a score of 43 disintegrated clay saucers out of 50 but he was hard pressed by J. V. Winter with 42. Mitchell led the professionals and the day with a score of 48. Scores:

A. Tausche	50
C. F. Sutor	50
W. Erickson	50
F. Schwalbe	50
M. Locke	50
Freehoff	50
O. J. Koch	50
McCauley	50
M. Savage	50
Ballon, Prof.	50
M. Thompson	50
H. L. Starr	50
F. Pitman	50
J. E. Higbee	50
Sandberg	50
Hafner	50
Klein	50
M. Novak	50
Olson	50
A. Moll	50
Allard	50
Daniel	50

FED SCOUT LOSES

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., April 6.—Chancellor Henderson today made permanent the injunction against Howard Camnitz, Federal scout, preventing him from dickering with Pirates under contract. In announcing his decision, Chancellor Henderson ruled informally that the contracts of the Pittsburgh club with its players are invalid, because they lack mutuality. He denied the right of Camnitz to raise this point.

COXEY ROOKIES PINCHED

CLEVELAND, O., April 6.—Sixty recruits, constituting the vanguard of "Gen." Jacob S. Coxey's army that will march on Washington April 16, are in jail here. They occupied empty passenger coaches in the railroad yards. Police arrested them.

TAKES MEN TO CHURCH

DALLAS, Texas, April 6.—Manager Callahan led his Chicago White Sox to church here because a minister extended a "Go to church Sunday" invitation, and then hustled them out to the ball yard.

Post Mortems

(BY HAL SHERIDAN.)

NEW YORK, April 6.—The Giants are evidently determined to return home with a most imposing collection of anti-season games, as they are still blazing through the brush like a forest fire and turned up their ninth straight victory in New Orleans yesterday. With the reports of McGraw's whaling out ten hits, including a triple and two doubles, the correspondents also relate with much glee how the Federals came out second best in the first date conflict with organized ball. Four thousand saw the Giant-Pelican game against between 300 and 400 who went to see the Chicago Federals hook up with a semi-pro team.

If the O. B. forces are really tickled over the affair they have surely been looking hard for something to smile over. There isn't much room for comparison, as the Giants had a big edge in appearing against the home league team.

Johnson Wild

Walter Johnson gave three bases on balls and hit a man during one inning against the Cincinnati Reds. Johnson allowed only three hits in five innings, but had only a vague idea of the exact location of the plate.

The Cards now have a three to one lead over the Browns in the St. Louis city series. Miller and Wilson, obtained in the Pittsburgh trade, continue to do the heavy work for the Cards.

Offers \$30,000 for Horse

Jeff Livingston, owner of Iron Mack, has offered \$30,000 for Old Rosebud, the winter book favorite for the Kentucky Derby to be run at Churchill Downs May 9. All that Livingston asks is that the horse be breezed before Phil T. Chinn of Louisville, and if the latter is satisfied Old Rosebud is sound, Livingston has said he will hand over a check.

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